TO

MAHARAJ-JI

OF WHOSE
ASHIRBAD
(BLESSING)
THIS
IS
A MANIFESTATION

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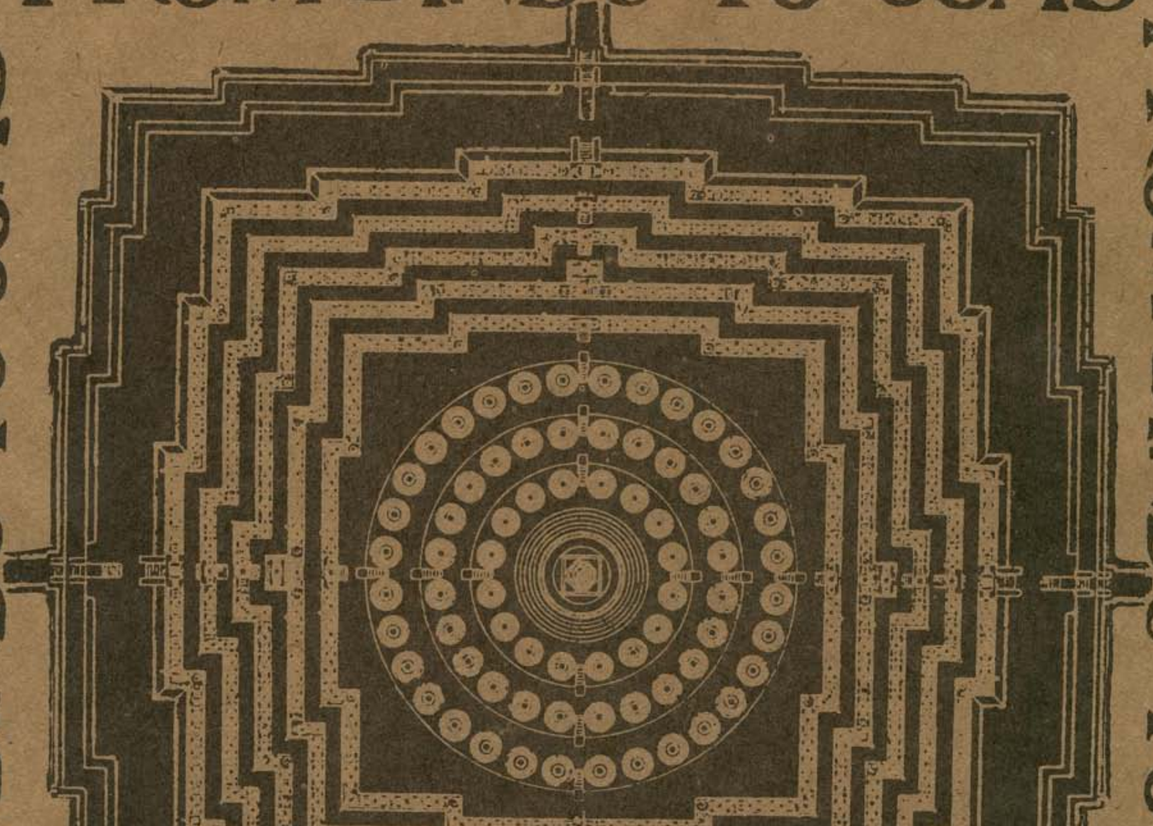

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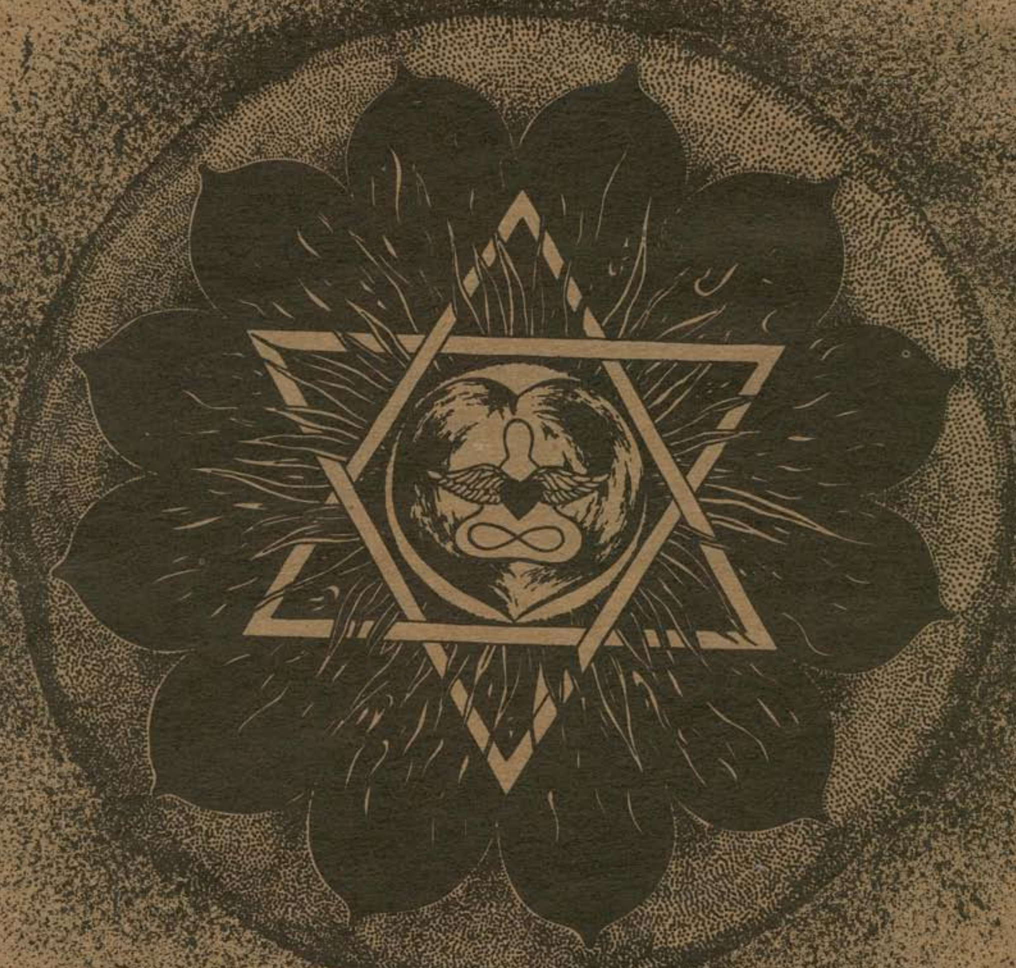
THE HEART CAVE



"EXCEPT YE BE CONVERTED
&
BECOME AS LITTLE CHILDREN
YE SHALL NOT ENTER
THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN"

UNLESS ★ YOU

START AGAIN

BECOME THAT TRUSTING
OPEN SURRENDERED BEING
THE ENERGY CAN'T COME IN
THAT IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN

THE ENERGY

IT IS THE SAME THING

COSMIC CONSCIOUSNESS

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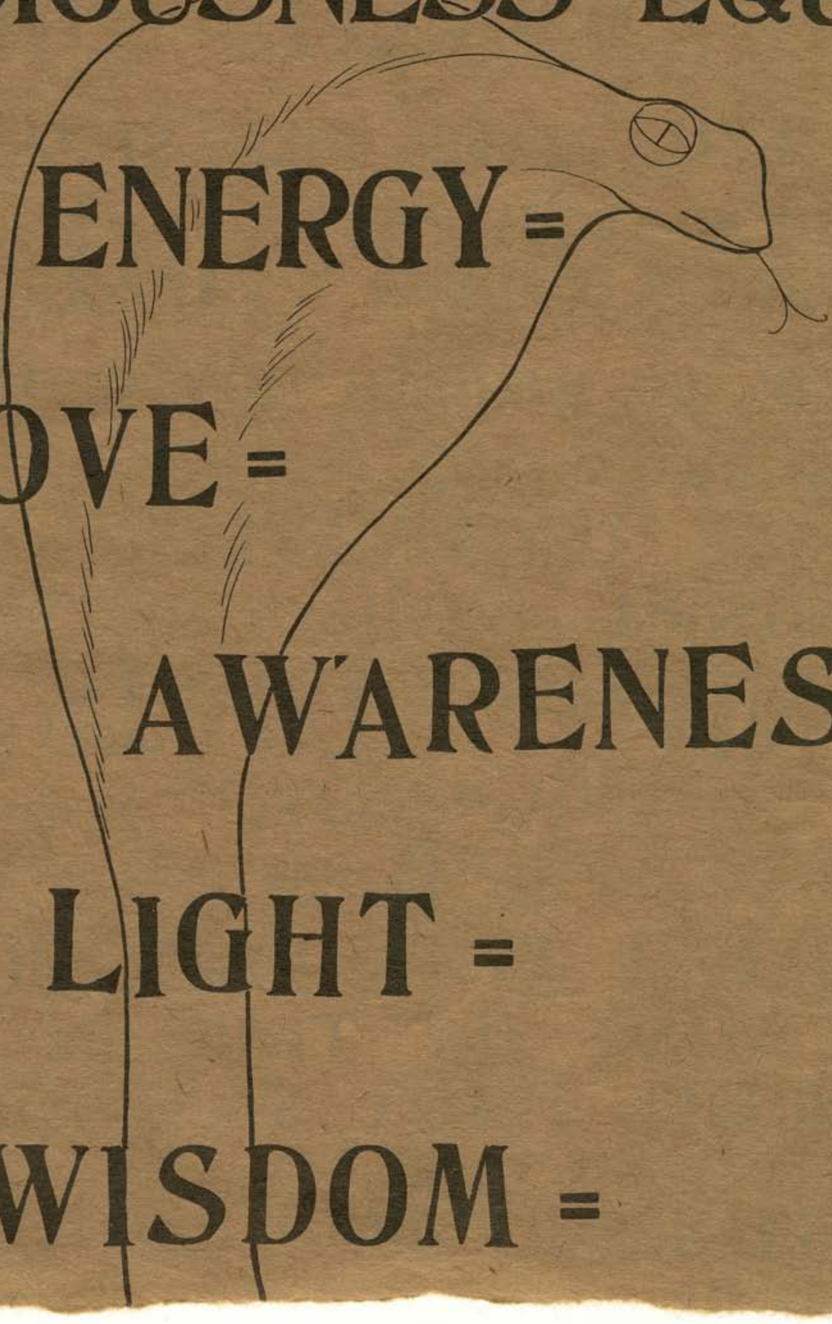
CONSCIOUSNESS EQUALS



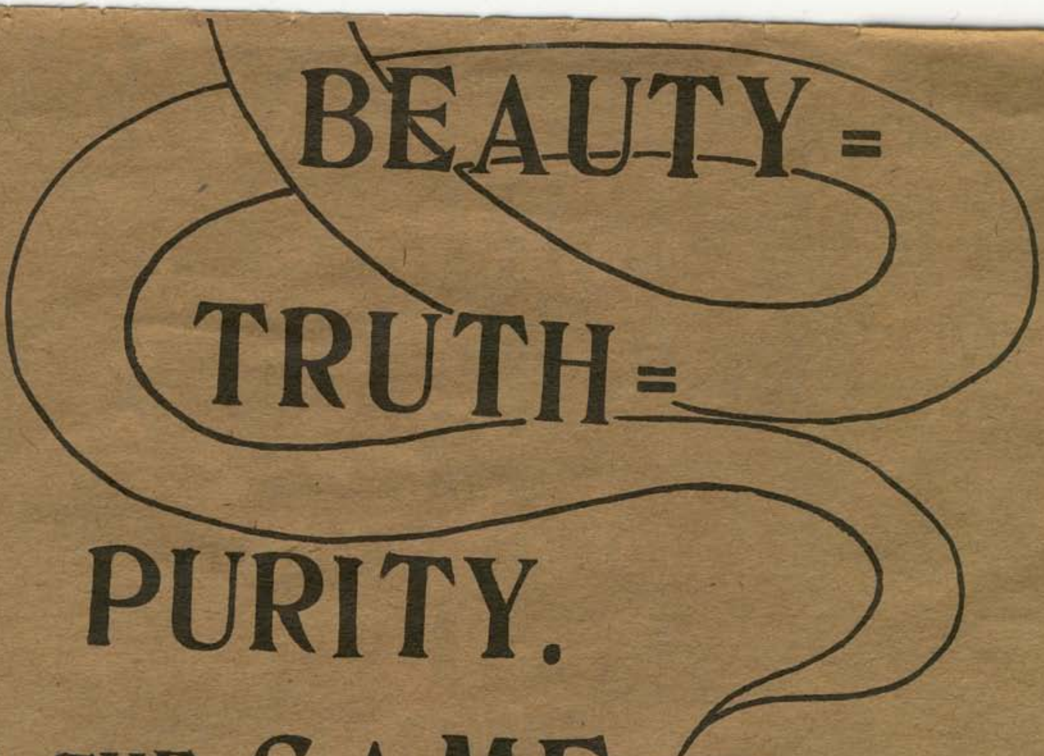
ENERGY =

LOVE =

AWARENESS =

LIGHT =

WISDOM =



BEAUTY =

TRUTH =

PURITY.

IT’S ALL THE SAME TRIP

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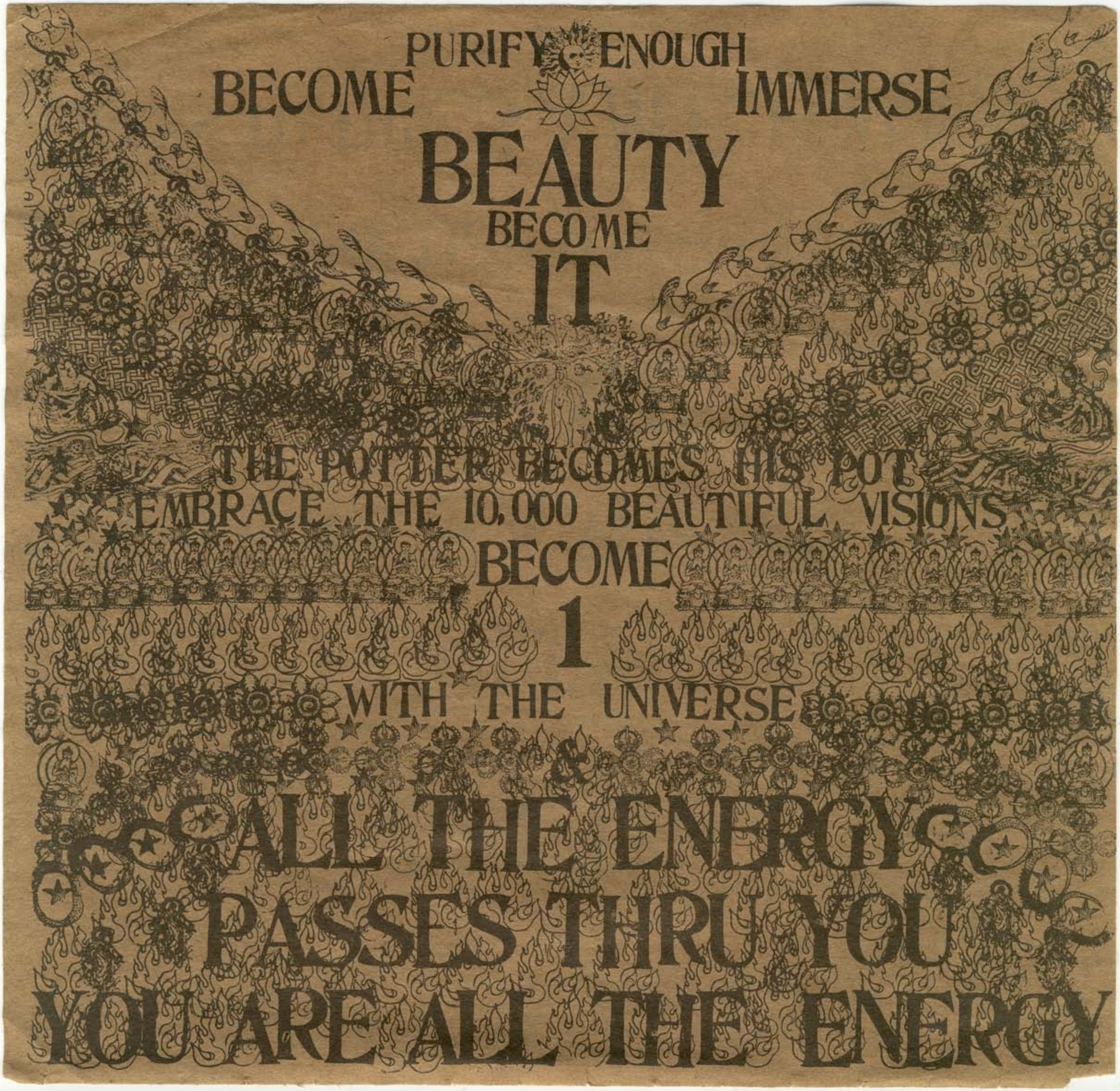
ANY TRIP YOU WANT TO TAKE

LEADS TO THE SAME PLACE ॐ



PURIFY ENOUGH
BECOME IMMERSE

BEAUTY

BECOME

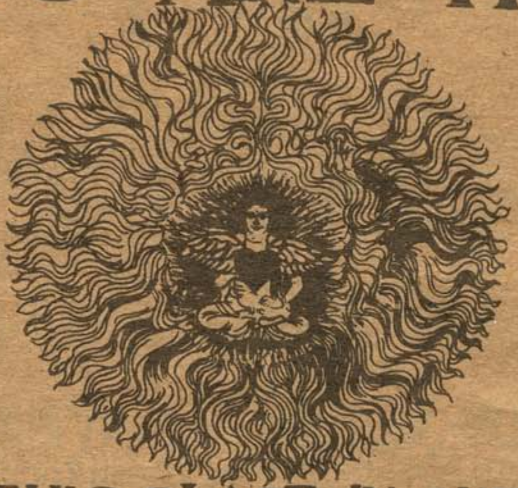
IT

THE POTTER BECOMES HIS POT
EMBRACE THE 10,000 BEAUTIFUL VISIONS
BECOME
1
WITH THE UNIVERSE
&

ALL THE ENERGY
PASSES THRU YOU
YOU ARE ALL THE ENERGY

& IT ALL RESIDES IN YOUR HEART
IF YOU CAN GO WITHIN TO YOUR SPIRITUAL HEART
YOUR HRIDAYAM
YOU WILL THEN KNOW THAT:

YOU ARE HE



& IT IS FROM THIS PLACE IN OUR HEART CAVE
WHERE WE ARE NOW
WE WATCH THE ENTIRE DRAMA
THAT IS OUR LIVES
WE WATCH THE ILLUSION
WITH

UNBEARABLE COMPASSION

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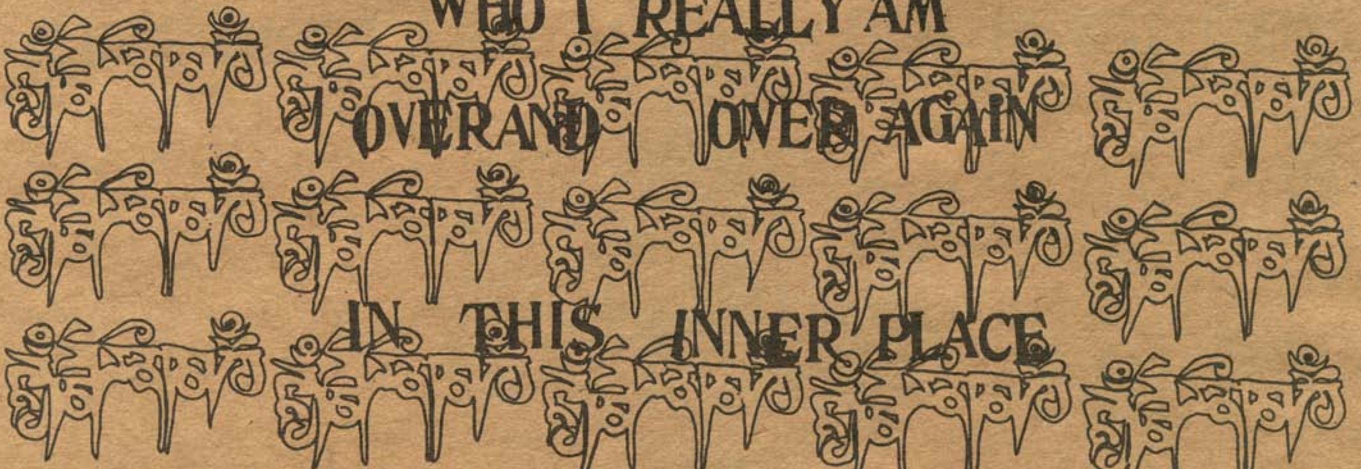
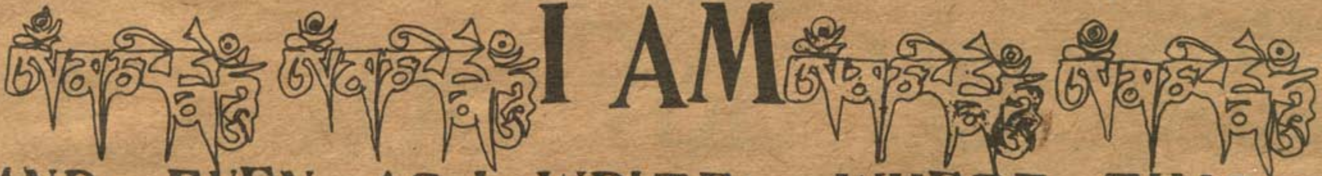
THERE IS WRITING HAPPENING
MAYBE THATS HARD FOR YOU TO UNDERSTAND
I AM HERE BUT "I" AM NOT HERE.
I AM WRITING BUT "I" AM NOT WRITING
INSIDE OF ME IN THE HEART CAVE IS A
MANTRA GOING ON THAT REMINDS ME
WHO I REALLY AM



OVER AND OVER AGAIN

IN THIS INNER PLACE



I AM

AND EVEN AS I WRITE, WHERE THIS
MANTRA IS GOING ON IM JUST WATCHING WITH

GREAT AWE AND WONDER

THE AWESOME DRAMA OF NATURE
UNFOLD BEFORE MY VERY EYE
BEFORE THAT EYE I I WHICH
SEES ALL AND KNOWS ALL.
AND ON ཨོཾ་མ་ཎི་པདྨེ་ཧཱུྃ ཨོཾ་མ་ཎི་པདྨེ་ཧཱུྃ ཨོཾ་མ་ཎི་པདྨེ་ཧཱུྃ
AND ON
INSIDE GOES: ཨོཾ་མ་ཎི་པདྨེ་ཧཱུྃ ཨོཾ་མ་ཎི་པདྨེ་ཧཱུྃ

AUM MANI PADME HUM

ALWAYS BRINGING ME RIGHT TO MY HEART
WHERE I DWELL ETERNALLY.

WHEN YOU HAVE QUIETED YOUR MIND
ENOUGH
AND TRANSCENDED YOUR EGO
ENOUGH
YOU CAN HEAR HOW IT REALLY IS. **SO:**
WHEN YOU ARE WITH A CANDLEFLAME
YOU **ARE** THE CANDLEFLAME
AND WHEN
YOU ARE WITH ANOTHER BEING'S MIND
YOU **ARE** THE OTHER BEING'S MIND
WHEN
THERE IS A TASK TO DO
YOU **ARE** THE TASK

THE MINDLESS QUALITY OF TOTAL INVOLVEMENT
THAT COMES ONLY WHEN THE EGO IS QUIET
AND THERE IS NO ATTACHMENT

IT IS ONLY WHEN YOU RESIDE QUIETLY
IN YOUR OWN HRIDAYAM
THAT YOU BECOME
HE OF TOTAL LIGHT
UNBEARABLE COMPASSION
AND
INFINITE POWER

SEE:

IF YOU GET FAR ENOUGH IN

YOU CAN SEE... .....KARMA

YOU CAN SEE PATTERNS UNFOLDING

(OF WHICH THIS LIFE
IS ONLY A PART
PART OF A MOSAIC)

BUT:

IN ORDER TO DO THAT
YOU HAVE TO HAVE LEFT

THE GRAVITATIONAL FIELD
OF
TIME AND SPACE
(AS A MATRIX)

YOU CAN'T THINK IN.......TIME & SPACE

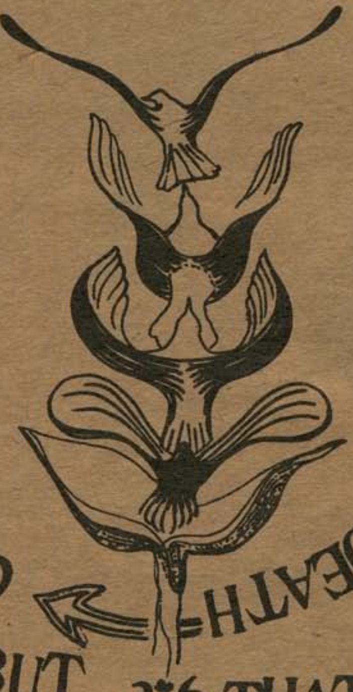
YOU CAN'T BE IN........YOUR THOUGHTS

☞ ANY MORE! ☜

BECAUSE: YOUR THOUGHTS ARE STILL IN TIME & SPACE & YOU CAN'T GET OUT OF TIME THROUGH THEM. YOU'VE GOT TO BE OUTSIDE THAT. YOU'VE GOT TO BE IN THE PLACE WHERE

▲YOU SEE YOUR OWN▲

CONCEPTION★BIRTH★CHILDHOOD★ADOLESCENCE★MATURITY★AGE★DEATH



AND: NOT ONLY THAT ONE BUT THAT ONE &........ ॐ THAT ONE & THAT TOO.

THE BUTTERFLY

I AM WITHOUT FORM,
WITHOUT LIMIT
BEYOND SPACE BEYOND TIME
I AM IN EVERYTHING
EVERYTHING IS ME
I AM THE BLISS OF THE UNIVERSE,
EVERYTHING
AM I

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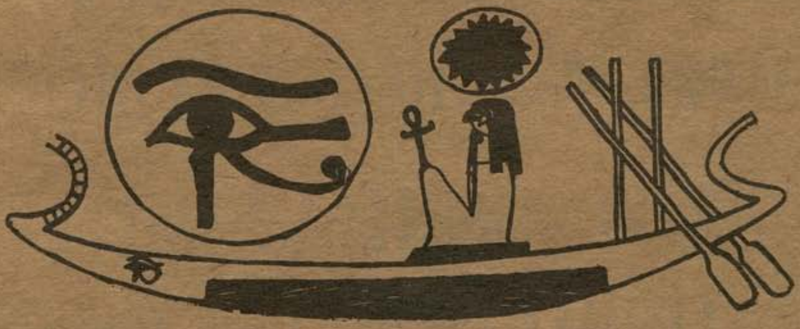
RAM TIRTHA

BUT YOU'RE STILL ONLY SEEING HINTS
YOU'VE GOT A WAY TO GO YET

GÄTẼ/GÄTẼ/PÄRĂGÄTẼ
PÄRÄṢÄMGÄTẼ
BODHĬ SVÄHÄ!

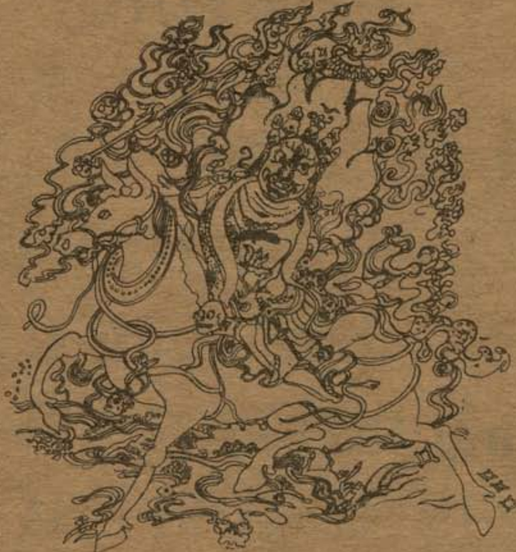


GONE/GONE/GONE BEYOND/GONE BEYOND BEYOND
HAIL THE GOER

BEYOND EVEN CONCEIVING OF A PLACE
BEYOND WHICH YOU CAN GO BEYOND

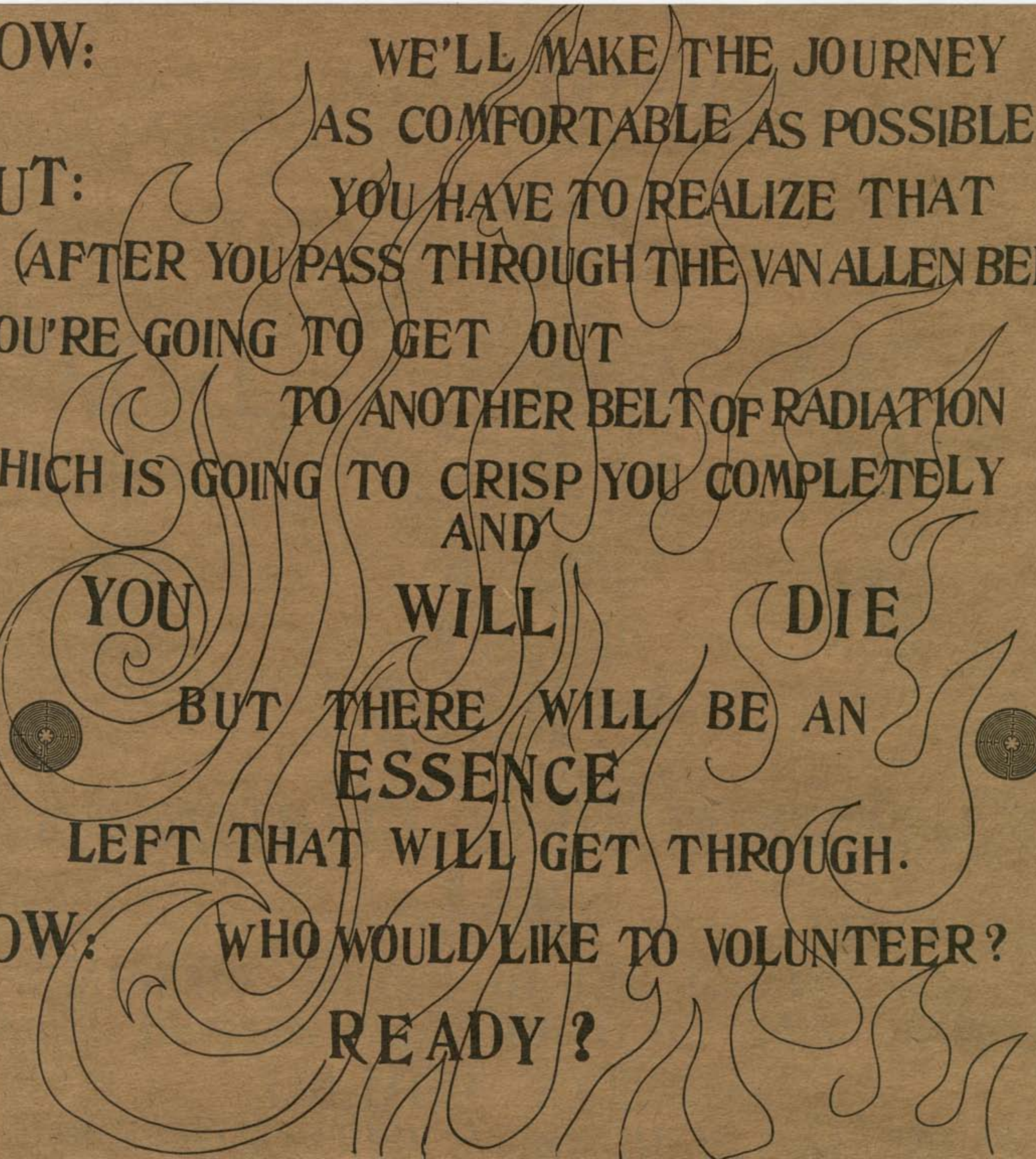
WHO'S ADVENTUROUS ENOUGH TO WANT TO GO
ON THAT JOURNEY?
DO YOU REALIZE WHEN YOU GO ON THAT JOURNEY
IN ORDER TO GET TO THE DESTINATION
YOU
CAN NEVER GET TO THE DESTINATION?
IN THE PROCESS
YOU
MUST DIE

MUST

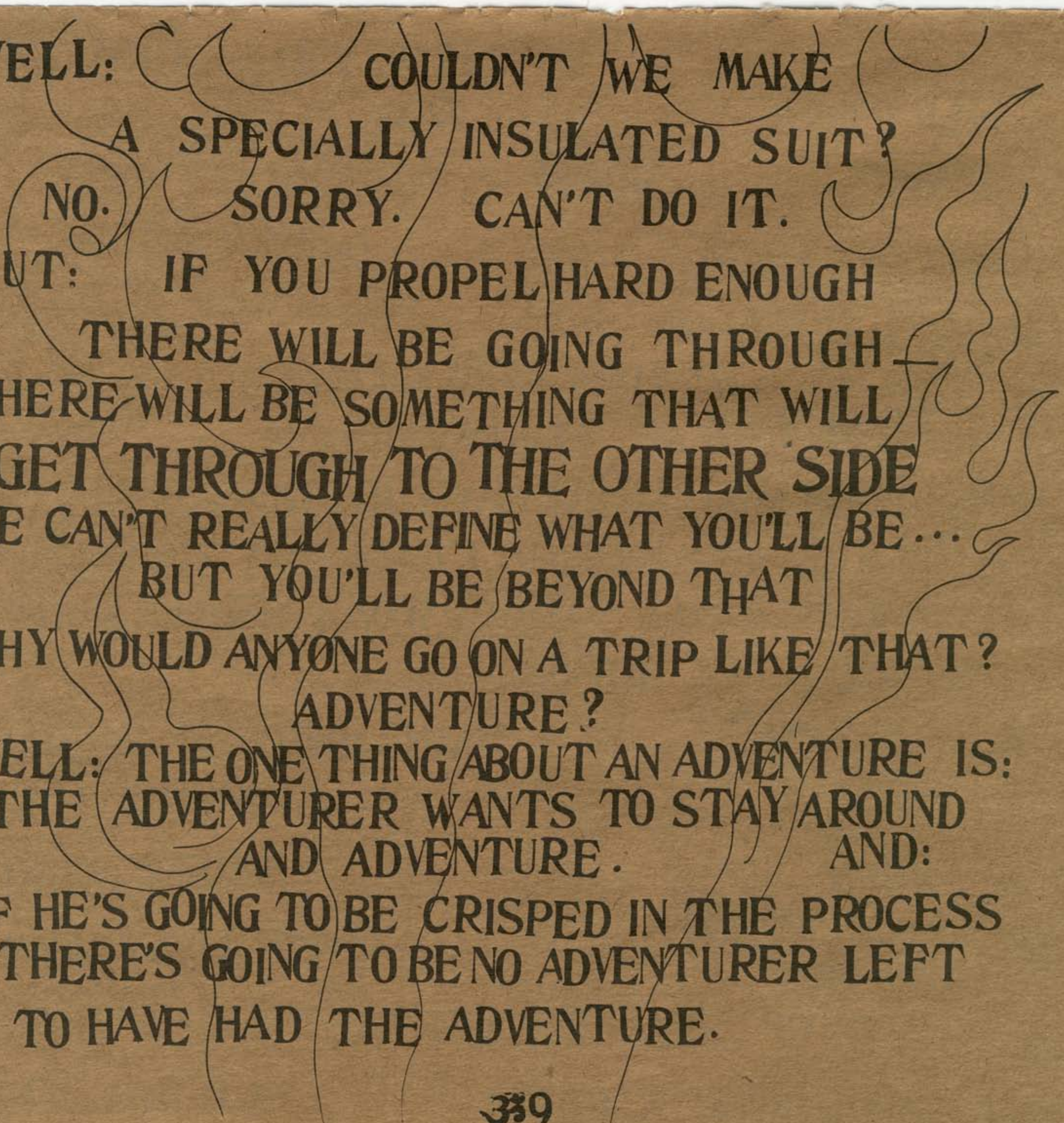


DIE

PRETTY FIERCE JOURNEY PRETTY FIERCE REQUIREMENT
WE WANT VOLUNTEERS

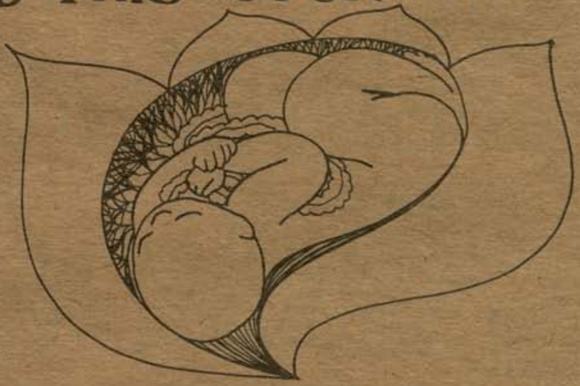


NOW: WE'LL MAKE THE JOURNEY
AS COMFORTABLE AS POSSIBLE
BUT: YOU HAVE TO REALIZE THAT
(AFTER YOU PASS THROUGH THE VAN ALLEN BELT)
YOU'RE GOING TO GET OUT
TO ANOTHER BELT OF RADIATION
WHICH IS GOING TO CRISP YOU COMPLETELY
AND
YOU WILL DIE
BUT THERE WILL BE AN
ESSENCE
LEFT THAT WILL GET THROUGH.
NOW: WHO WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER?
READY?



WELL: COULDN'T WE MAKE
A SPECIALLY INSULATED SUIT?
NO. SORRY. CAN'T DO IT.
BUT: IF YOU PROPEL HARD ENOUGH
THERE WILL BE GOING THROUGH—
THERE WILL BE SOMETHING THAT WILL
GET THROUGH TO THE OTHER SIDE
WE CAN'T REALLY DEFINE WHAT YOU'LL BE...
BUT YOU'LL BE BEYOND THAT
WHY WOULD ANYONE GO ON A TRIP LIKE THAT?
ADVENTURE?
WELL: THE ONE THING ABOUT AN ADVENTURE IS:
THE ADVENTURER WANTS TO STAY AROUND
AND ADVENTURE. AND:
IF HE'S GOING TO BE CRISPED IN THE PROCESS
THERE'S GOING TO BE NO ADVENTURER LEFT
TO HAVE HAD THE ADVENTURE.

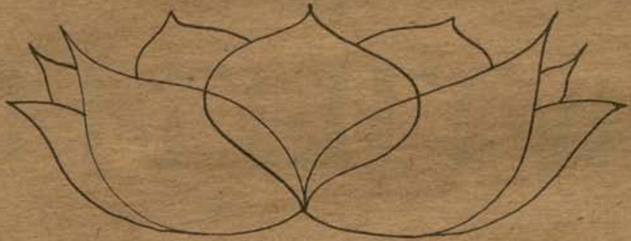
BUT YOU SEE: THERE'S SOMETHING THAT
PULLS A PERSON TOWARD THIS JOURNEY
WAY AWAY BACK
DEEP INSIDE
IS A MEMORY
THERE IS SOMETHING



INSIDE EACH OF US
THAT COMES FROM BEHIND THAT VEIL
BEHIND THE PLACE OF OUR OWN BIRTH
IT'S AS IF YOU HAVE TASTED OF SOMETHING
SOMEWHERE IN YOUR PAST
THAT'S BEEN SO HIGH
SO MUCH LIGHT
SO MUCH ENERGY
THAT NOTHING
YOU CAN EXPERIENCE
THROUGH ANY OF YOUR
SENSES
OR YOUR THOUGHTS

CAN BE
ENOUGH!

SOMEWHERE INSIDE
EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT THERE IS A PLACE
WHICH IS TOTALLY FULFILLING
NOT A DESPERATE FLICK OF FULFILLMENT
IT IS A

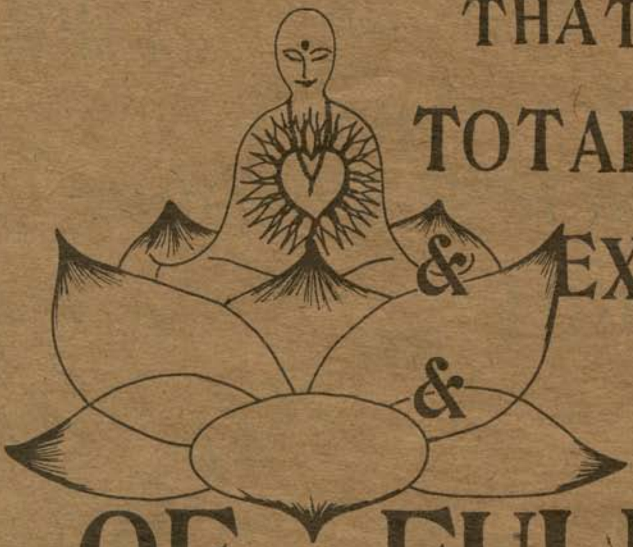


STATE OF FULFILLMENT

YOU MAY EXPERIENCE DESPAIR
THAT YOU'LL EVER KNOW THAT.
GOOD! BECAUSE THROUGH THE DESPAIR
COMES SURRENDER
AND THROUGH THAT SURRENDER
YOU GET CLOSER TO IT.

AND WHAT KEEPS YOU FROM

THAT PLACE



THAT GIVES YOU THAT

TOTAL FEELING

& EXPERIENCE

& KNOWING

OF FULFILLMENT IS

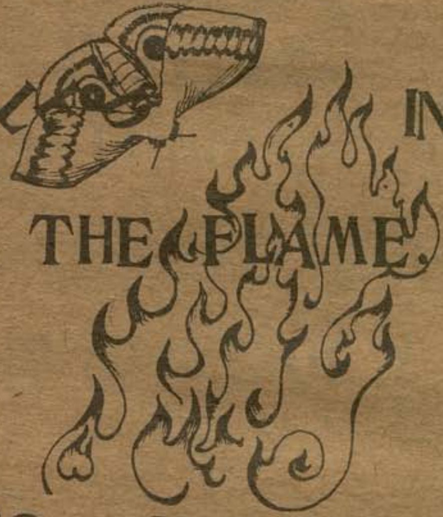
ALL OF THIS *POSTURING* ALL OF YOUR *THOUGHTS*

ALL YOUR WAY OF *ORGANIZING* YOUR WORLD

ALL OF YOUR *PLANS* ALL OF YOUR *GAMES*

YOUR *EXPLORING*.

SOME OF US DO GO ON THIS JOURNEY
WE DIDN'T STAND UP AND SAY WE VOLUNTEER
(IT DIDN'T WORK THAT WAY AT ALL
IT'S NOT LIKE YOU HAD A CHOICE
OF VOLUNTEERING OR NOT VOLUNTEERING)
THAT ISN'T THE WAY IT WORKS.
IT'S AS IF YOU'RE PROPELL INTO IT
LIKE THE MOTH INTO THE FLAME.



BUT YET NOBODY'S
PUSHING YOU. NOBODY'S
STANDING AROUND SAYING: GET IN !
TAKE EVERY THIRD MAN ! HE GOES !
IT DOESNT WORK THAT WAY EITHER.

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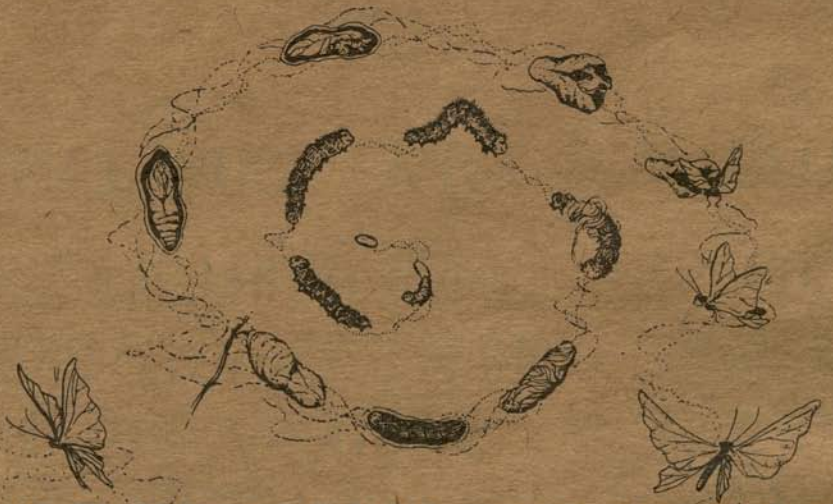
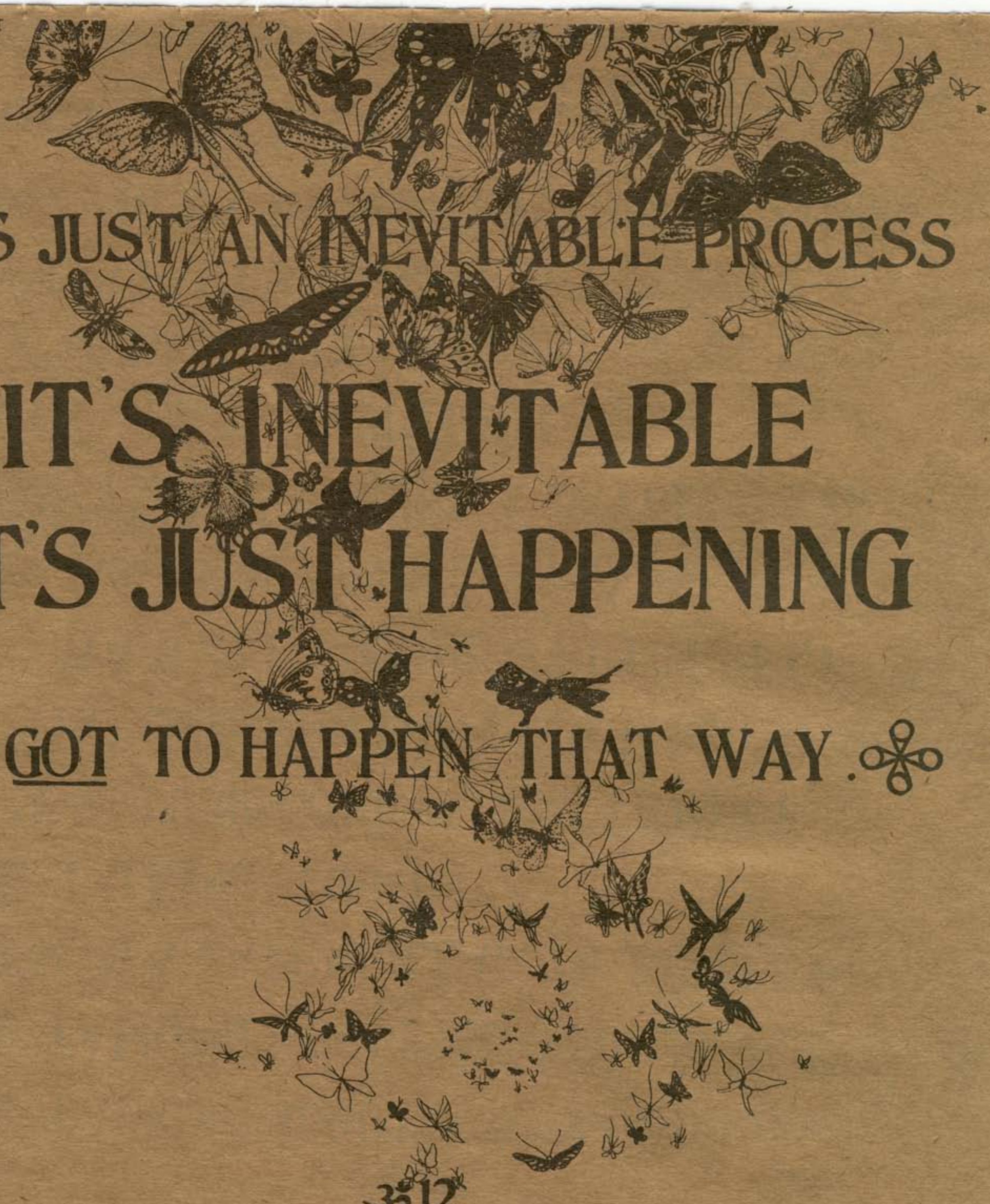


IT'S A LITTLE MORE LIKE THE IMAGE OF A CATERPILLAR—ENCLOSING ITSELF IN A COCOON IN ORDER TO GO THROUGH THE METAMORPHOSIS TO EMERGE AS A BUTTERFLY.

THE CATERPILLER DOESN'T SAY: "WELL NOW. I'M GOING TO CLIMB INTO THIS COCOON AND COME OUT A BUTTERFLY."



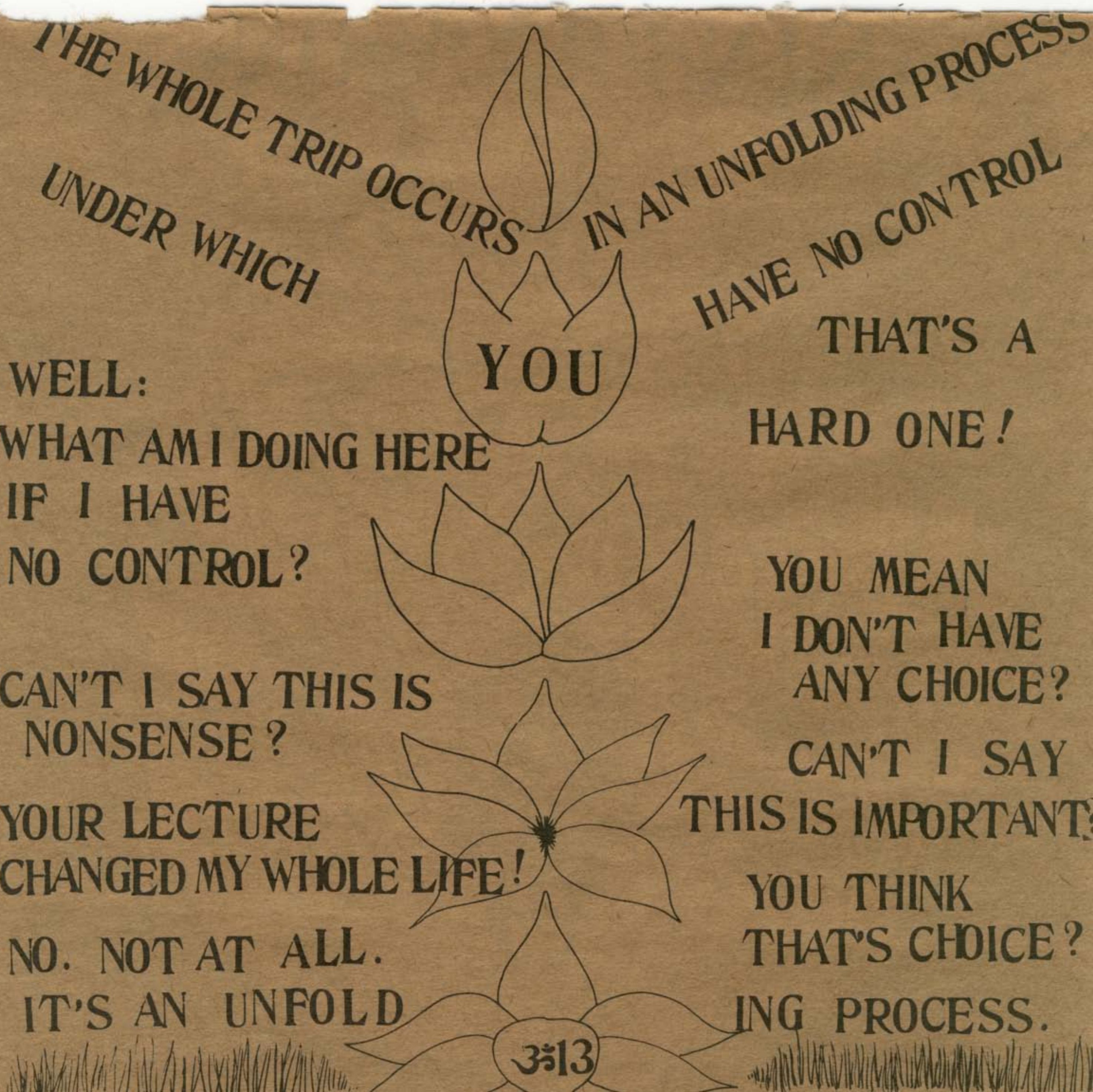
IT'S JUST AN INEVITABLE PROCESS

IT'S INEVITABLE
IT'S JUST HAPPENING

IT'S GOT TO HAPPEN THAT WAY. ⁂

WE'RE TALKING ABOUT A METAMORPHOSIS
WE'RE TALKING ABOUT
GOING FROM A CATERPILLAR TO BUTTERFLY
WE'RE TALKING ABOUT
HOW TO BECOME A BUTTERFLY.
I MEAN: THE CATERPILLAR ISN'T WALKING AROUND
SAYING: MAN I'LL SOON BE A BUTTERFLY
BECAUSE: AS LONG AS HE'S BUSY

BEING A CATERPILLAR
HE CAN'T BE A BUTTERFLY.
IT'S ONLY WHEN CATERPILLARNESS IS DONE
THAT ONE STARTS TO BE A BUTTERFLY
AND THAT AGAIN IS PART OF THIS PARADOX
YOU CANNOT RIP AWAY CATERPILLARNESS



THE WHOLE TRIP OCCURS IN AN UNFOLDING PROCESS
UNDER WHICH YOU HAVE NO CONTROL

WELL:
WHAT AM I DOING HERE
IF I HAVE
NO CONTROL?

THAT'S A
HARD ONE!

YOU MEAN
I DON'T HAVE
ANY CHOICE?

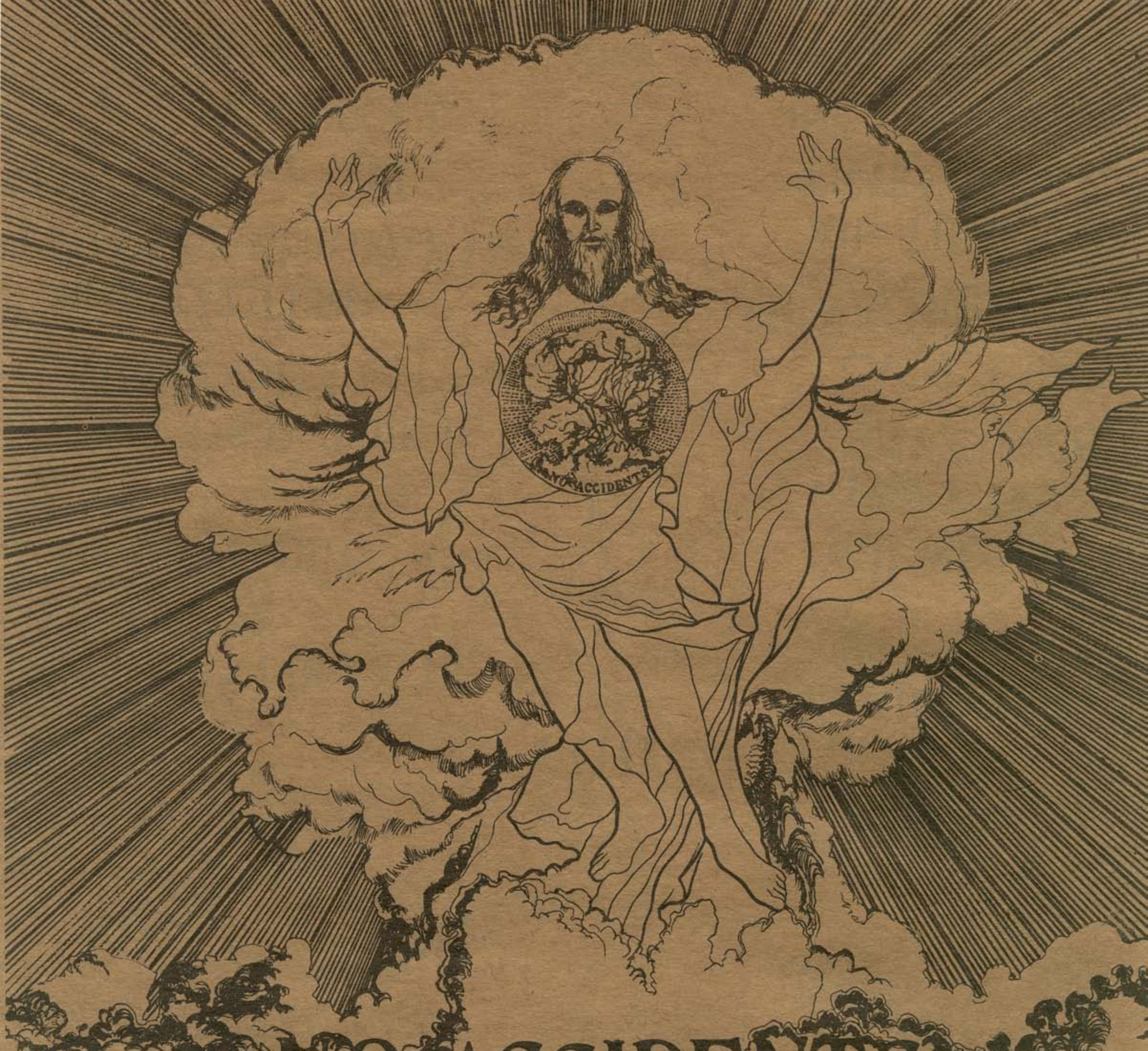
CAN'T I SAY THIS IS
NONSENSE?

CAN'T I SAY
THIS IS IMPORTANT

YOUR LECTURE
CHANGED MY WHOLE LIFE!

YOU THINK
THAT'S CHOICE?

NO. NOT AT ALL.
IT'S AN UNFOLDING PROCESS.


NO ACCIDENTS

NO ACCIDENTS

IF YOU COULD STAND BACK FAR ENOUGH AND WATCH THE WHOLE PROCESS YOU WOULD SEE

YOU ARE A TOTALLY DETERMINED BEING

THE VERY MOMENT YOU WILL WAKE UP

IS TOTALLY DETERMINED

HOW LONG YOU WILL SLEEP

IS TOTALLY DETERMINED

WHAT YOU WILL HEAR OF WHAT I SAY

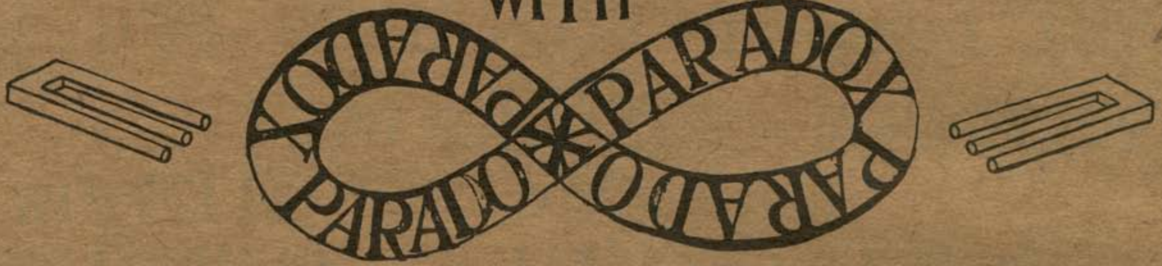
IS TOTALLY DETERMINED

THERE ARE NO ACCIDENTS IN THIS BUSINESS AT ALL. ACCIDENTS ARE JUST FROM WHERE YOU'RE LOOKING. TO THE EGO, IT LOOKS LIKE IT'S MIRACLES AND ACCIDENTS.

NO MIRACLES. NO ACCIDENTS.

IT'S JUST YOUR VANTAGE POINT THAT YOU'RE SORT OF·····STUCK IN.

THIS WHOLE TRIP I'M TALKING ABOUT IS FRAUGHT
WITH



THE MOST EXQUISITE PARADOX
AS SOON AS YOU GIVE IT ALL UP
YOU CAN HAVE IT ALL

HOW ABOUT THAT ONE ?

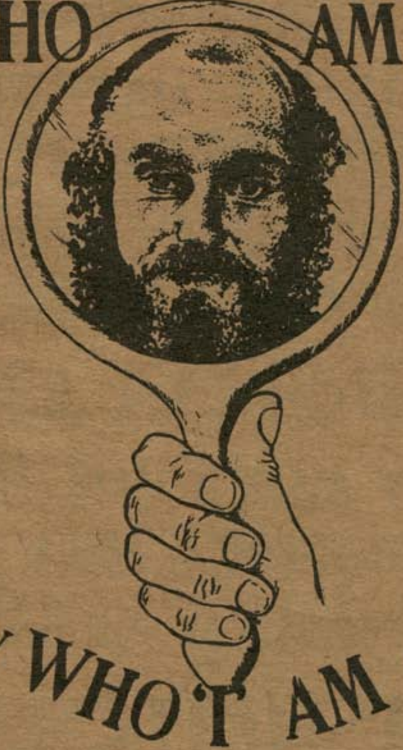
AS LONG AS YOU WANT POWER
YOU CAN'T HAVE IT.
THE MINUTE YOU DON'T WANT POWER
YOU'LL HAVE MORE THAN YOU EVER DREAMED
POSSIBLE

WHAT A WEIRD THING!

AS LONG AS YOU HAVE AN EGO
YOU'RE ON A LIMITED TRIP

YOU'RE ON A TRIVIAL TRIP THAT'S GOING TO LAST
?MAYBE WHAT? 60 — SAY 70 – MAYBE 80 YEARS
AND FULL WITH FEAR OF ITS END
TRYING TO MAKE ITS OWN ETERNITY.

WELL: IF ‘I’ AM NOT SPEAKING
IF ‘I’ AM NOT WHAT ‘I’ THOUGHT ‘I’ WAS
HOW DID ‘I’ GET INTO THIS
WHO AM ‘I’

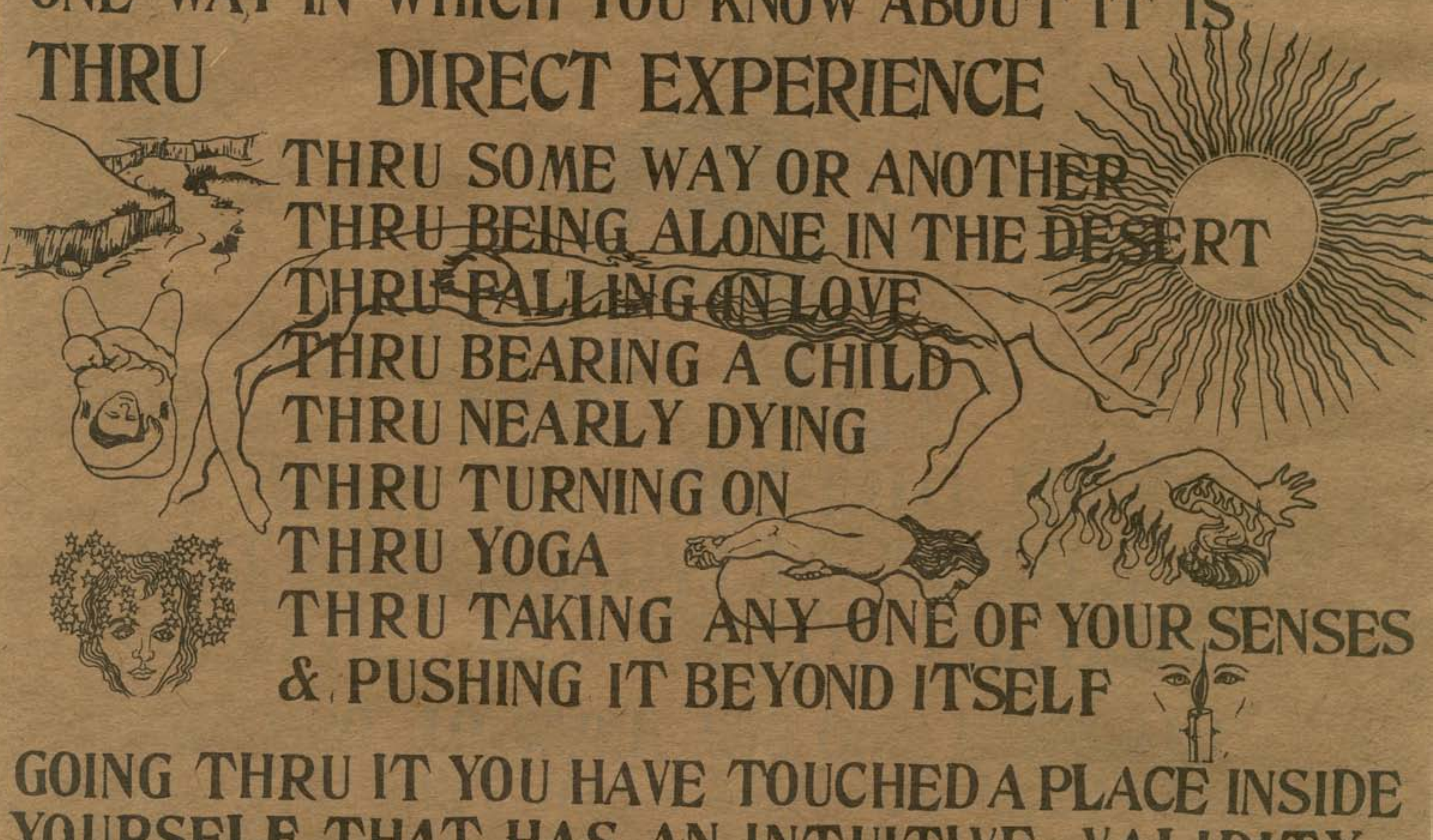


FOR ONLY WHEN ‘I’ KNOW WHO ‘I’ AM WILL ‘I’ KNOW WHAT IS

POSSIBLE

UNDERSTANDING THE POSSIBILITY

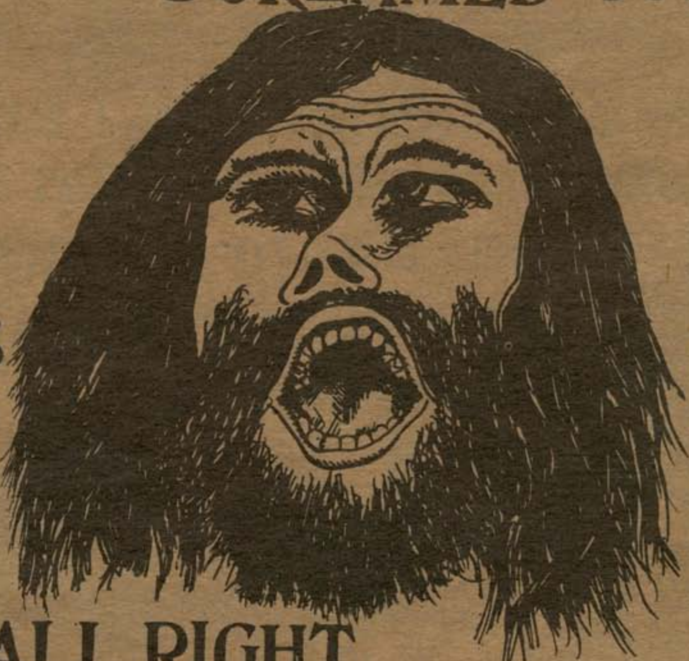
THERE ARE 3 WAYS IN WHICH ONE KNOWS
WHAT WE ARE TALKING ABOUT TONIGHT
ONE WAY IN WHICH YOU KNOW ABOUT IT IS
THRU DIRECT EXPERIENCE



THRU SOME WAY OR ANOTHER
THRU BEING ALONE IN THE DESERT
THRU FALLING IN LOVE
THRU BEARING A CHILD
THRU NEARLY DYING
THRU TURNING ON
THRU YOGA
THRU TAKING ANY ONE OF YOUR SENSES
& PUSHING IT BEYOND ITSELF

GOING THRU IT YOU HAVE TOUCHED A PLACE INSIDE YOURSELF THAT HAS AN INTUITIVE VALIDITY

I'VE BEEN WITH (LITERALLY NOW) WELL OVER 100 PEOPLE WHO HAVE HAD SUCH AN EXPERIENCE WHICH WAS POWERFUL AND VALID BUT IT WAS SO DISCONTINUOUS WITH THEIR NORMAL CONSCIOUSNESS THAT THEY SCREAMED FOR HELP

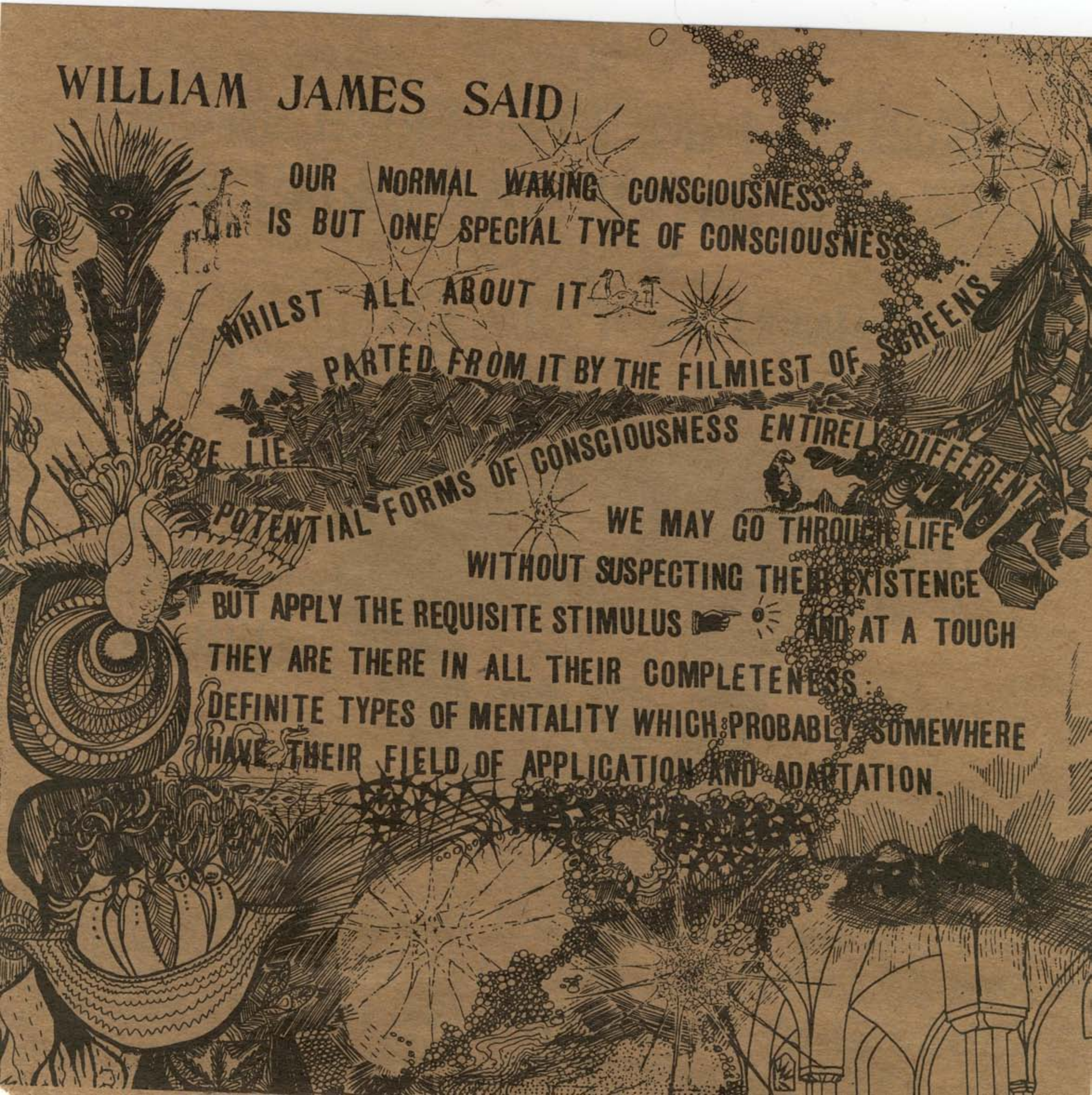


THE HELP THAT WAS AVAILABLE TO THEM WAS A GROUP OF MINDS WHICH SAID

'THAT'S ALL RIGHT YOU'VE JUST GONE CRAZY'

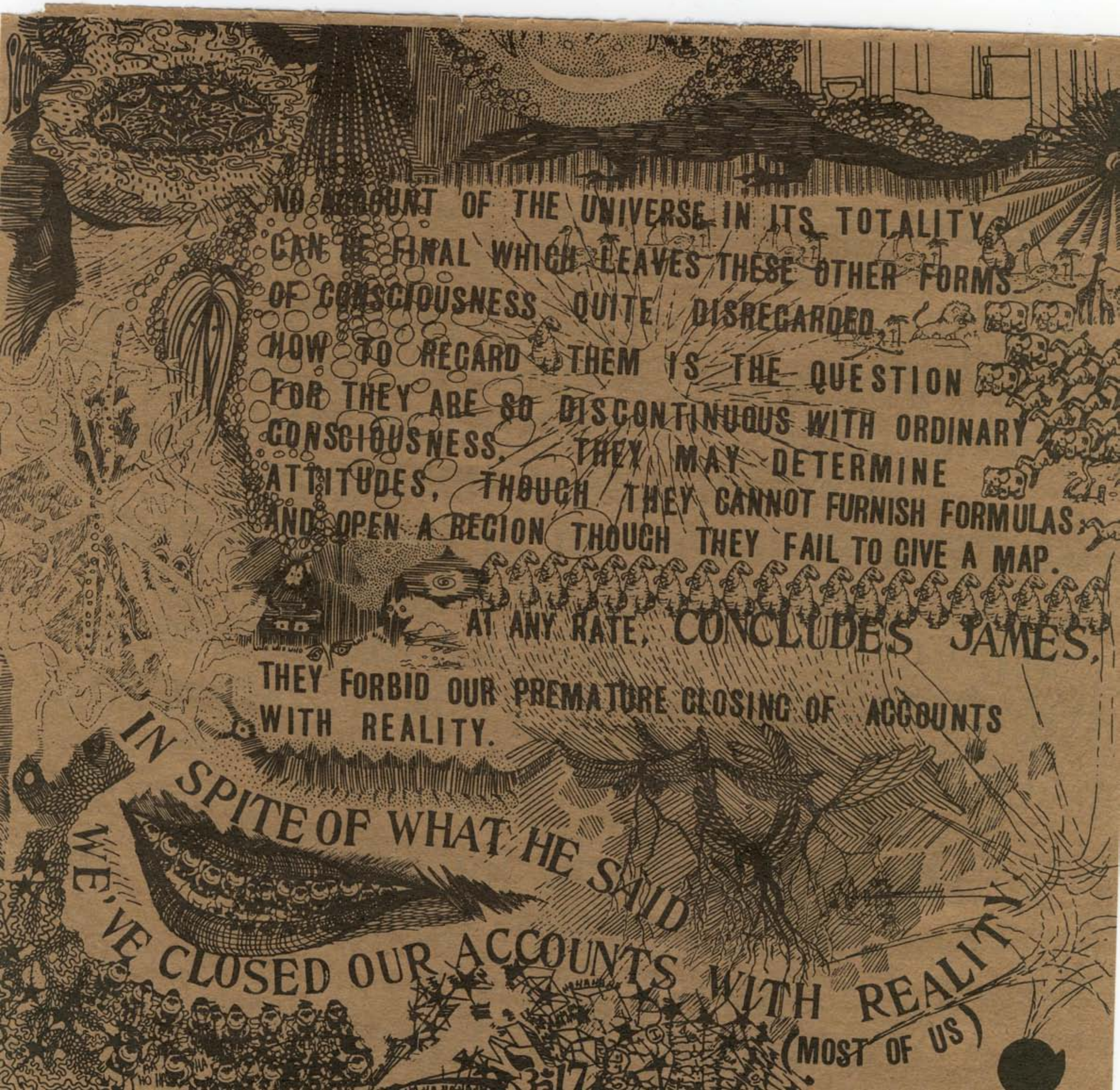
THAT IS

'THE EXPERIENCE YOU'VE JUST HAD IS THE EXPERIENCE OF PSYCHOSIS'



WILLIAM JAMES SAID

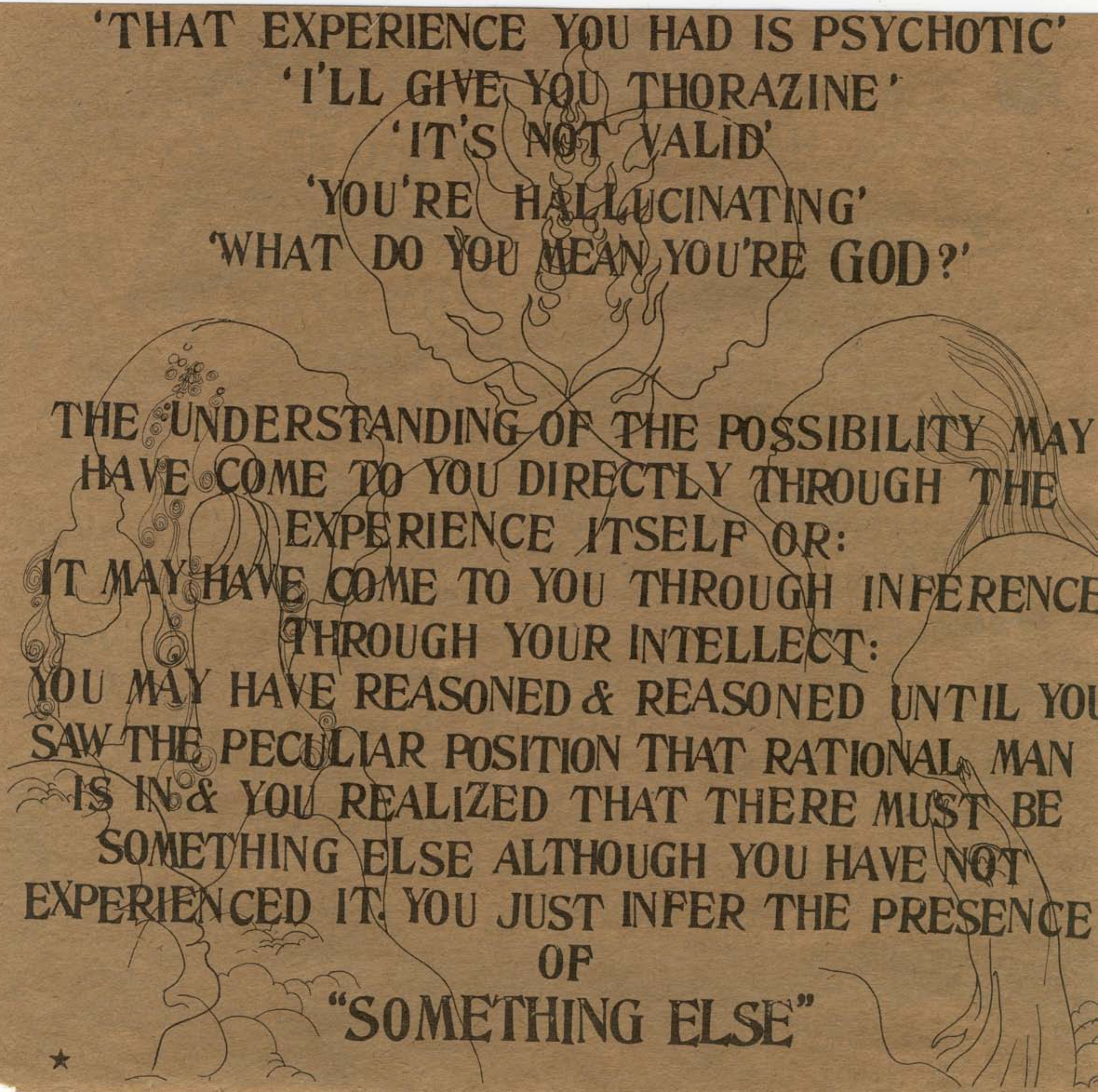
OUR NORMAL WAKING CONSCIOUSNESS
IS BUT ONE SPECIAL TYPE OF CONSCIOUSNESS
WHILST ALL ABOUT IT
PARTED FROM IT BY THE FILMIEST OF SCREENS
THERE LIE POTENTIAL FORMS OF CONSCIOUSNESS ENTIRELY DIFFERENT
WE MAY GO THROUGH LIFE
WITHOUT SUSPECTING THEIR EXISTENCE
BUT APPLY THE REQUISITE STIMULUS ☛ AND AT A TOUCH
THEY ARE THERE IN ALL THEIR COMPLETENESS:
DEFINITE TYPES OF MENTALITY WHICH PROBABLY SOMEWHERE
HAVE THEIR FIELD OF APPLICATION AND ADAPTATION.



NO ACCOUNT OF THE UNIVERSE IN ITS TOTALITY CAN BE FINAL WHICH LEAVES THESE OTHER FORMS OF CONSCIOUSNESS QUITE DISREGARDED. HOW TO REGARD THEM IS THE QUESTION FOR THEY ARE SO DISCONTINUOUS WITH ORDINARY CONSCIOUSNESS. THEY MAY DETERMINE ATTITUDES, THOUGH THEY CANNOT FURNISH FORMULAS, AND OPEN A REGION THOUGH THEY FAIL TO GIVE A MAP.

AT ANY RATE, CONCLUDES JAMES, THEY FORBID OUR PREMATURE CLOSING OF ACCOUNTS WITH REALITY.

IN SPITE OF WHAT HE SAID WE'VE CLOSED OUR ACCOUNTS WITH REALITY (MOST OF US)



'THAT EXPERIENCE YOU HAD IS PSYCHOTIC'
'I'LL GIVE YOU THORAZINE'
'IT'S NOT VALID'
'YOU'RE HALLUCINATING'
'WHAT DO YOU MEAN YOU'RE GOD?'

THE UNDERSTANDING OF THE POSSIBILITY MAY
HAVE COME TO YOU DIRECTLY THROUGH THE
EXPERIENCE ITSELF OR:
IT MAY HAVE COME TO YOU THROUGH INFERENCE
THROUGH YOUR INTELLECT:
YOU MAY HAVE REASONED & REASONED UNTIL YOU
SAW THE PECULIAR POSITION THAT RATIONAL MAN
IS IN & YOU REALIZED THAT THERE MUST BE
SOMETHING ELSE ALTHOUGH YOU HAVE NOT
EXPERIENCED IT. YOU JUST INFER THE PRESENCE
OF
"SOMETHING ELSE"

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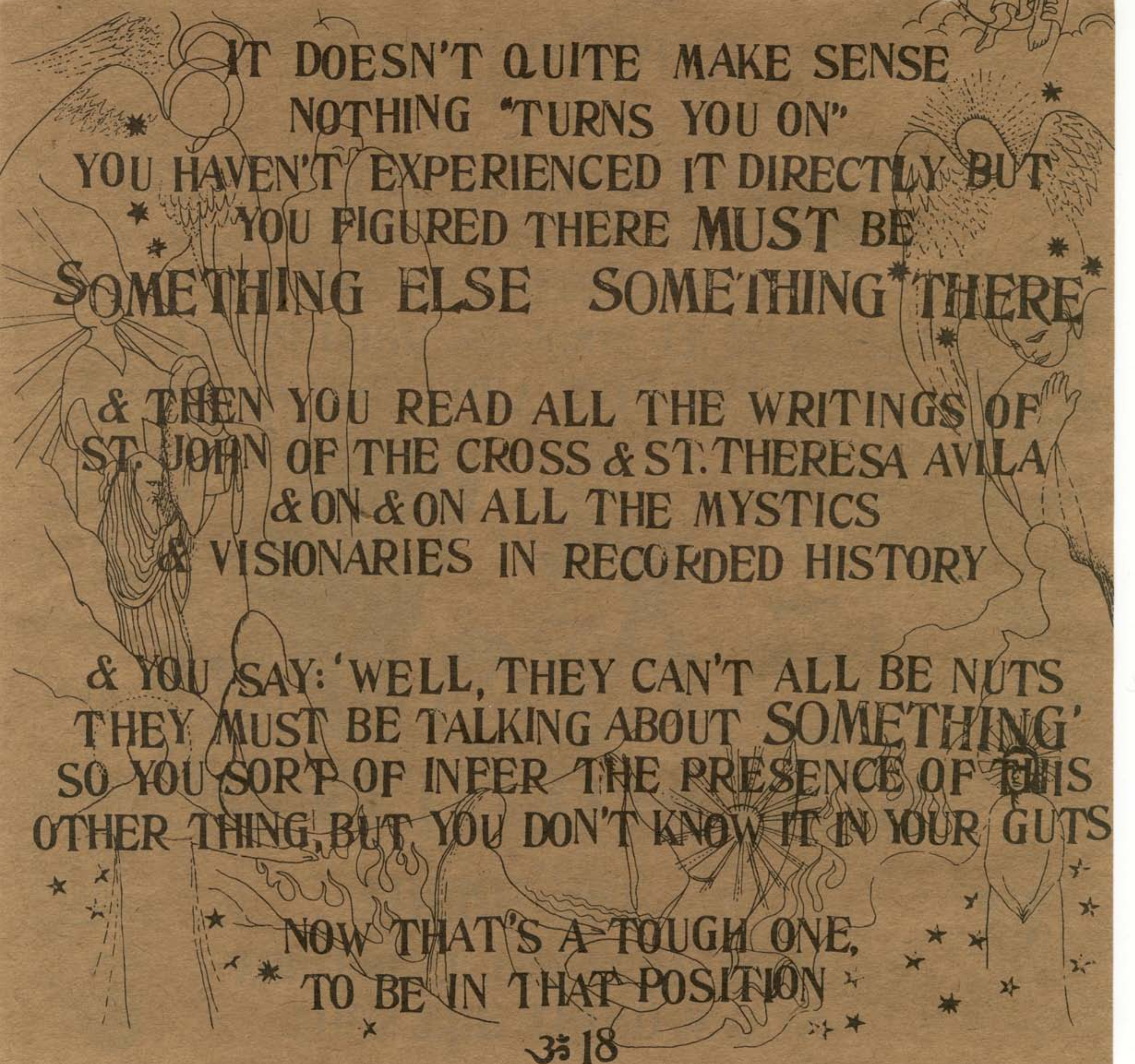


IT DOESN'T QUITE MAKE SENSE
NOTHING "TURNS YOU ON"
YOU HAVEN'T EXPERIENCED IT DIRECTLY BUT
YOU FIGURED THERE MUST BE
SOMETHING ELSE SOMETHING THERE

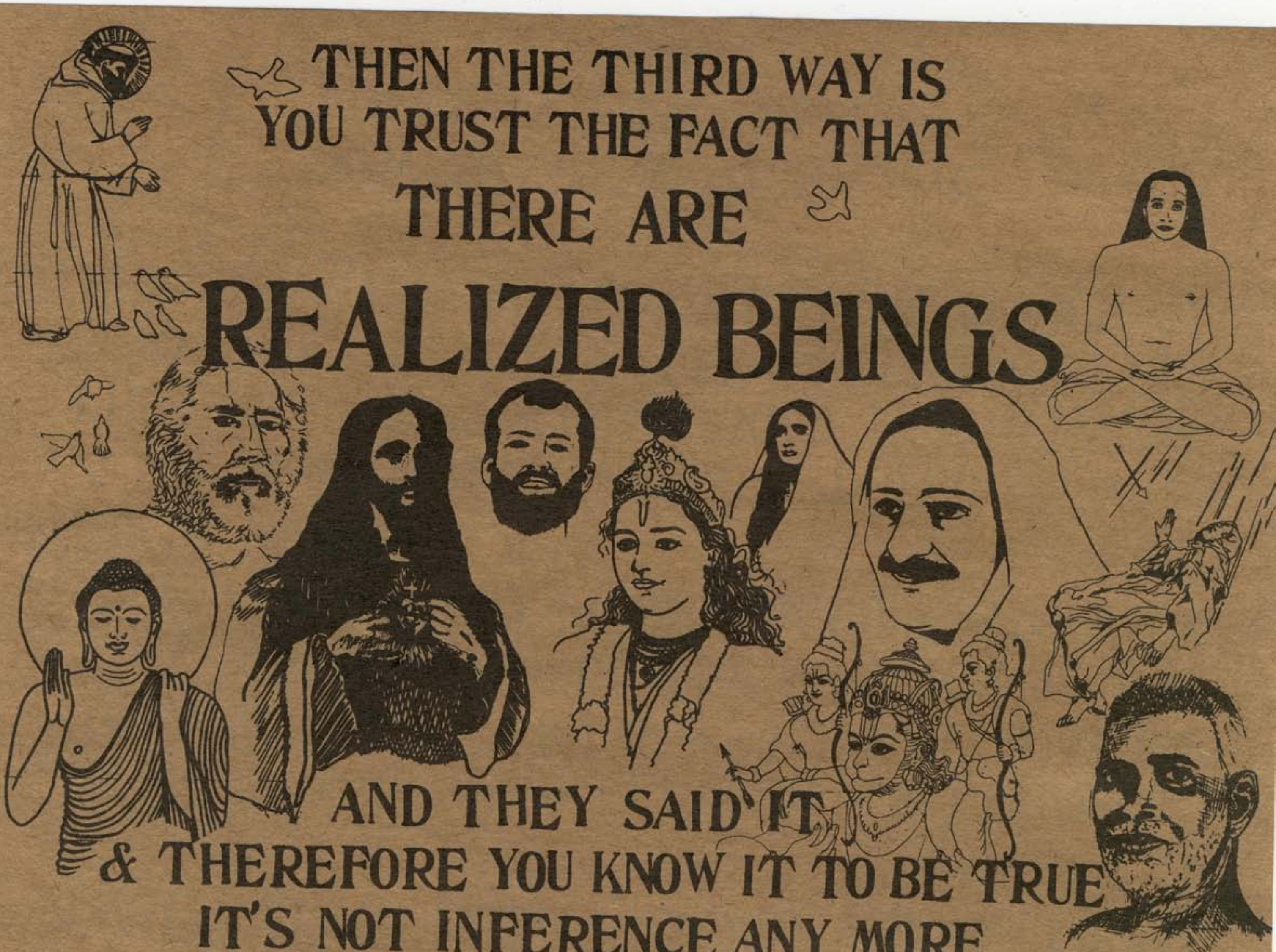
& THEN YOU READ ALL THE WRITINGS OF
ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS & ST. THERESA AVILA
& ON & ON ALL THE MYSTICS
& VISIONARIES IN RECORDED HISTORY

& YOU SAY: 'WELL, THEY CAN'T ALL BE NUTS
THEY MUST BE TALKING ABOUT SOMETHING'
SO YOU SORT OF INFER THE PRESENCE OF THIS
OTHER THING, BUT YOU DON'T KNOW IT IN YOUR GUTS

NOW THAT'S A TOUGH ONE,
TO BE IN THAT POSITION

THEN THE THIRD WAY IS
YOU TRUST THE FACT THAT
THERE ARE

REALIZED BEINGS

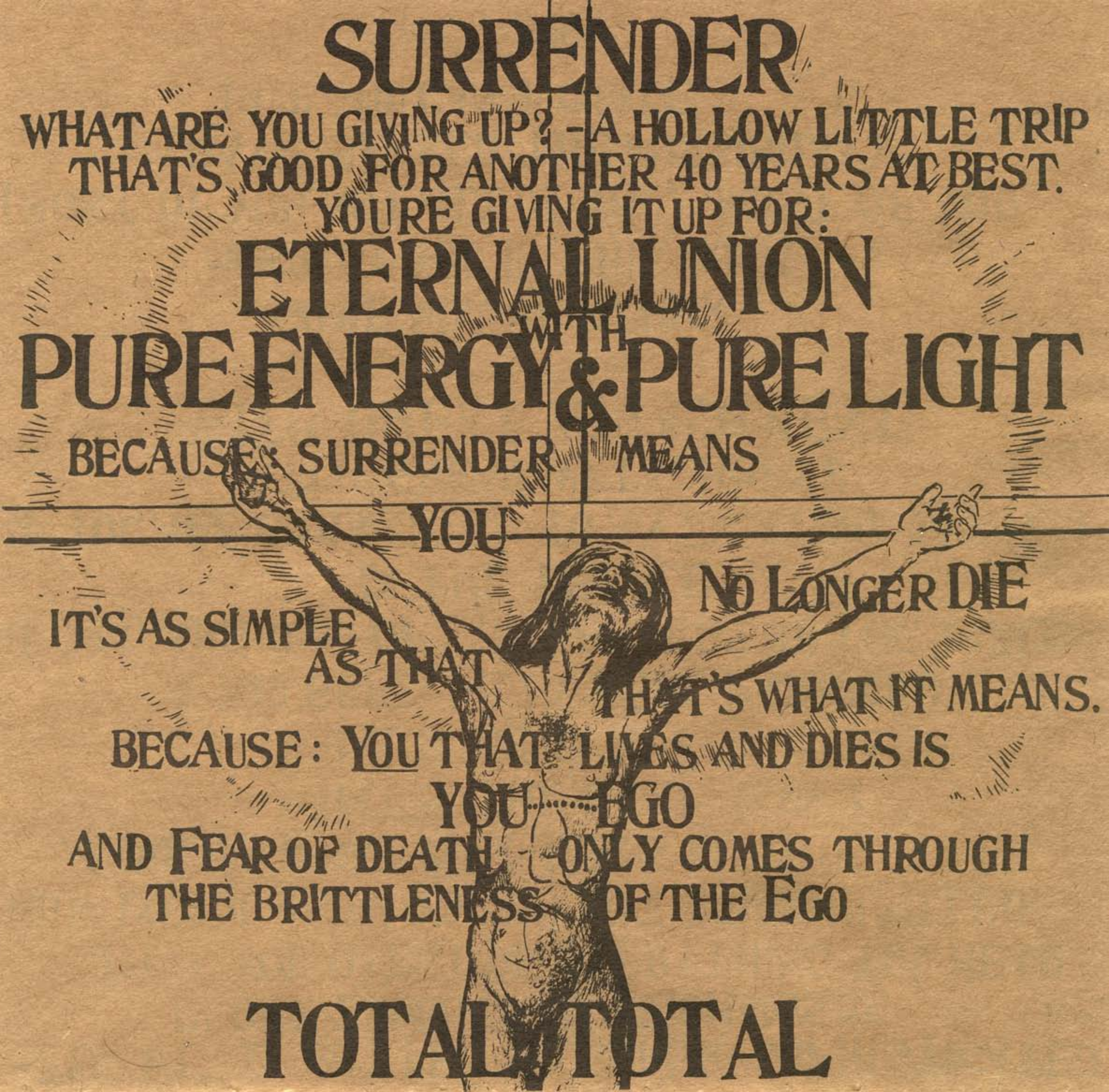


AND THEY SAID IT
& THEREFORE YOU KNOW IT TO BE TRUE
IT'S NOT INFERENCE ANY MORE
IT'S NOT AN INTELLECTUAL PROCESS
YOU JUST ACCEPT WHAT THEY HAVE SAID

THAT'S FAITH

SEE: WE'VE GOTTEN SO SUPER-SOPHISTICATED
IN OUR EVALUATIVE MECHANISMS
THAT YOU QUESTION EVERYTHING YOU HEAR
HOW DO YOU KNOW YOU'RE NOT BEING HUSTLED ?
I MEAN: WHAT WAS JESUS UP TO ?
WHAT'S THE GAME, MAN ?
WHAT'S HE INTO ?
& YOU ESPECIALLY FEEL PARANOID
IF YOU ARE ONE OF THE KEEPERS OF THE TABLES
IN THE TEMPLE
IF YOU ARE COMMITTED TO AN EXISTING SYSTEM
WITH GREAT ATTACHMENT
WITH GREAT ATTACHMENT

SOME WAY OR OTHER
MOST OF YOU IN THIS ROOM
(MOST OF YOU, NOT ALL OF YOU) MOST OF YOU
HAVE SENSED THE POSSIBILITY
BUT YOU CAN'T QUITE.........!



SURRENDER

WHAT ARE YOU GIVING UP? - A HOLLOW LITTLE TRIP
THAT'S GOOD FOR ANOTHER 40 YEARS AT BEST.
YOURE GIVING IT UP FOR:

ETERNAL UNION
WITH
PURE ENERGY & PURE LIGHT

BECAUSE: SURRENDER MEANS
YOU
NO LONGER DIE
IT'S AS SIMPLE
AS THAT
THAT'S WHAT IT MEANS.

BECAUSE: YOU THAT LIVES AND DIES IS
YOU.........EGO
AND FEAR OF DEATH - ONLY COMES THROUGH
THE BRITTLENESS OF THE EGO

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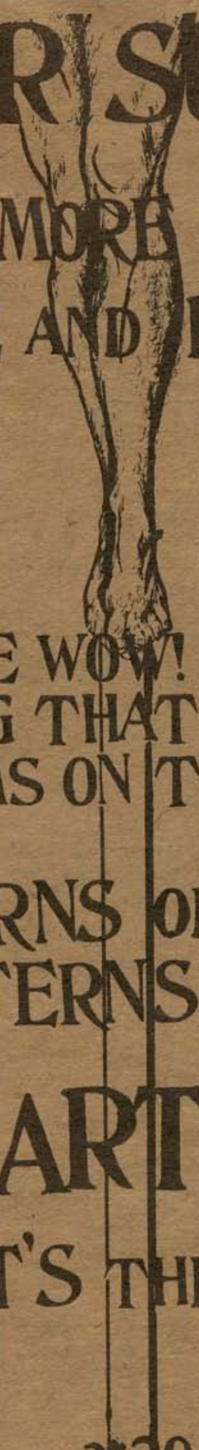


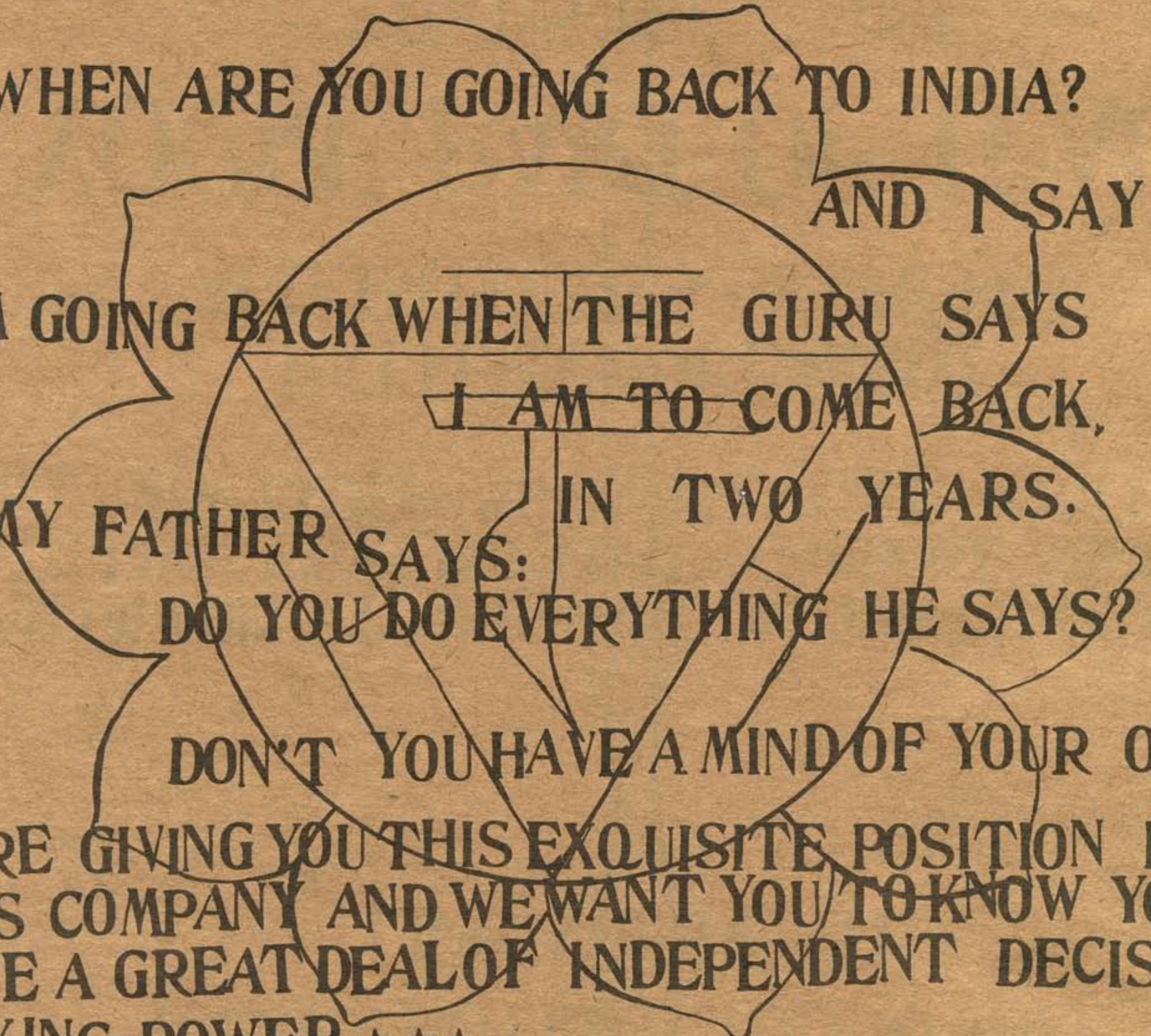
THERE'S NO MORE YOU, NO MORE
LIFE AND DEATH

YEAH I'M GOING TO DIE WOW! DIG THAT! I'M GOING
TO LIVE WOW! DIG THAT! GARBAGE WOW!
NEW BLOSSOMS ON THE TREE WOW!

PATTERNS OF ENERGY
ALL PATTERNS OF ENERGY

YOU'RE PART OF IT ALL

THAT'S THE PLACE!



SO: MY FATHER SAYS TO ME:

WHEN ARE YOU GOING BACK TO INDIA?

AND I SAY:

I'M GOING BACK WHEN THE GURU SAYS
I AM TO COME BACK,
IN TWO YEARS.

SO MY FATHER SAYS:
DO YOU DO EVERYTHING HE SAYS?

DON'T YOU HAVE A MIND OF YOUR OWN?

WE'RE GIVING YOU THIS EXQUISITE POSITION IN
THIS COMPANY AND WE WANT YOU TO KNOW YOU'LL
HAVE A GREAT DEAL OF INDEPENDENT DECISION-MAKING-POWER ★★★

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO TODAY, MARTY?

I DON'T CARE

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO?

HERE

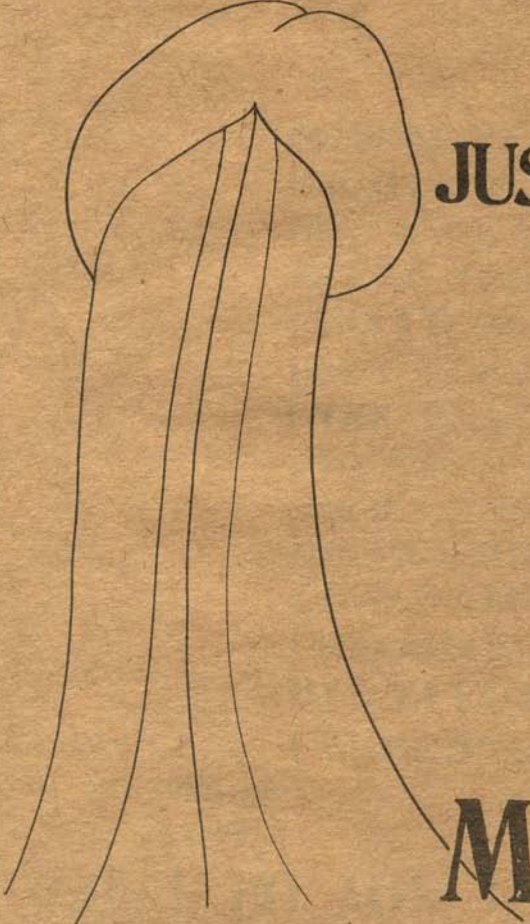
I REMEMBER A FEW DAYS STAYING IN LONDON. WE HAD FLED FROM COPENHAGEN WHERE WE HAD A VERY UNFORTUNATE SCENE AT A PSYCHOLOGICAL CONVENTION. WE WERE IN LONDON AND TIM AND BILL BURROUGHS AND I WERE WALKING DOWN THE STREET HIGH ON SOMETHING OR OTHER AND WE WERE SPENDING DAYS GOING FROM PARK TO TEA ROOM TO PARK TO TEA ROOM; AND EVERY NOW AND THEN WE D HIT A CORNER AND SOMEBODY WOULD SAY: WELL SHOULD WE CROSS THE STREET AND WE D STAND THERE AND NOBODY WOULD SEEM TO CARE. BECAUSE WE WERE ALL FULFILLED AT THAT MOMENT RIGHT THERE ON THE STREETCORNER IN LONDON. WE WERE ALL JUST

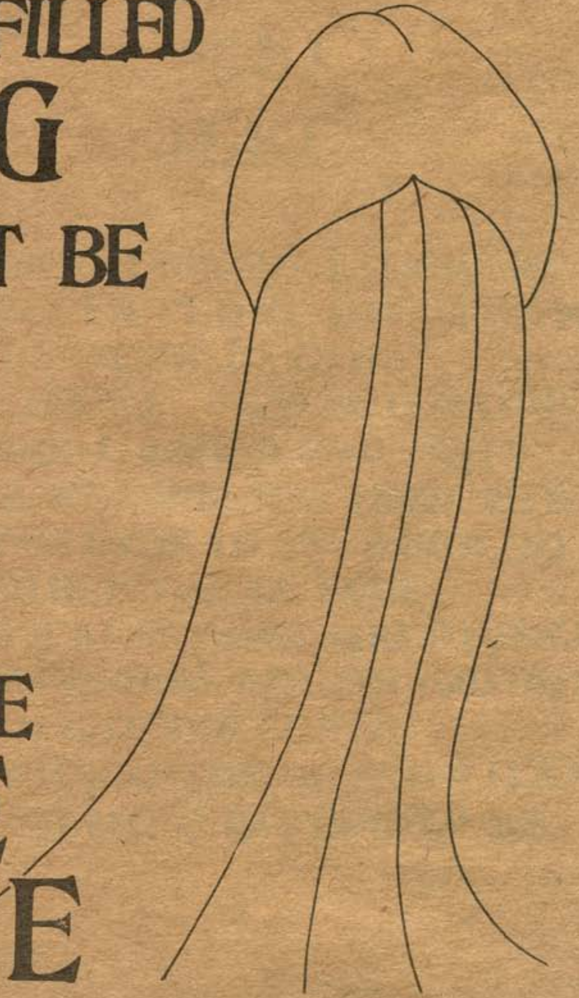
VERY

VERY

HIGH

YOU DON'T HAVE TO HAVE
THAT URGE THAT DESIRE
THAT UNFULFILLED
THING
JUST LET IT BE





JUST
BE
BE
BE
BE MORE
MORE
MORE

WHAT'S HOLDING YOU BACK? YOUR THOUGHTS, HUH?
YOU'VE GOT TO GIVE THEM UP
JUST EGO PLANNING

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE?
WELL
IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW
BUT LATER?.......................... FORGET IT BABY
THAT'S LATER
NOW IS
NOW
ARE YOU GOING TO
BE HERE
OR NOT?
IT'S AS SIMPLE AS
THAT!

BUT I'M SO YOUNG!
I HAVE SO MANY THINGS TO DO YET!

WELL! THAT'LL SURE KEEP YOU FROM
BEING HERE & NOW

LIFE IS PASSING ME BY!

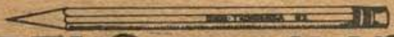
HMMMMMM

BUT, IF I LIVE JUST IN THE HERE & NOW
WON'T THERE BE CHAOS? WHAT HAPPENS
IF THE TELEPHONE RINGS?

WELL: THE HERE & NOW IS THE FACT
THAT THE TELEPHONE IS RINGING!
PICK IT UP!

WELL: WHAT IF SOMEBODY WANTS TO
MAKE AN APPOINTMENT TO SEE ME
3 WEEKS FROM NOW?

RIGHT!
WRITE IT DOWN. THAT'S HERE & NOW



WELL, WHAT HAPPENS 3 WEEKS FROM NOW

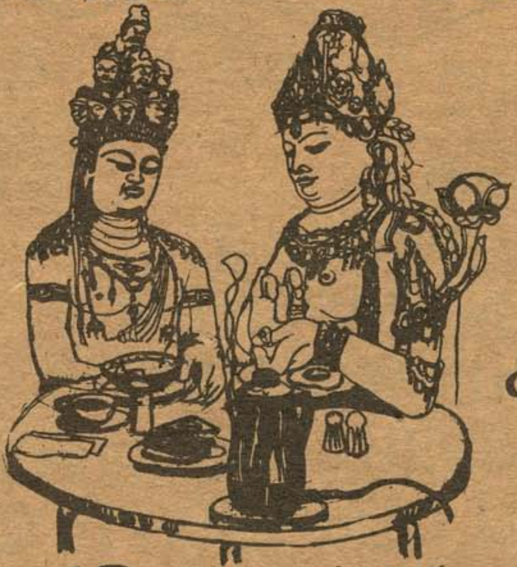
3 WEEKS FROM NOW THERE'S THAT
APPOINTMENT. THEN: THAT IS HERE & NOW.

WHEN YOUR CHILD COMES DOWN THE STAIRS

THIS IS THE FIRST MOMENT ALL OVER AGAIN

THIS IS

BUDDHA MEETING BUDDHA



OVER TOAST & COFFEE
OVER MILK & PORRIDGE
OVER MU TEA & BROWN RICE

WE NEVER HAD BREAKFAST BEFORE!

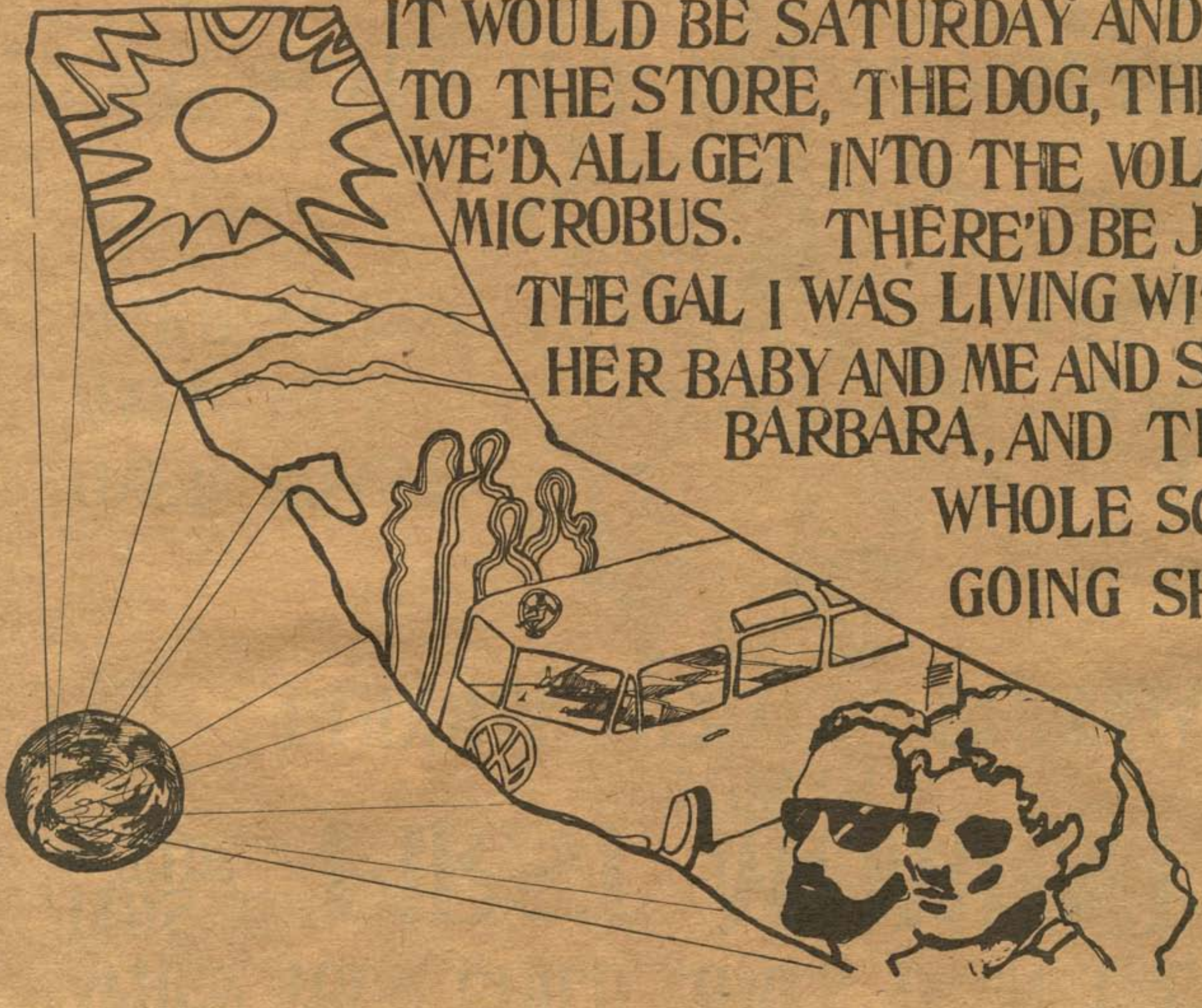
THIS IS IT!!

THIS IS ALL THERE IS

RIGHT NOW!

IF IT'S NOT GOOD ENUF, MAN, IT'S NOT GOOD ENUF

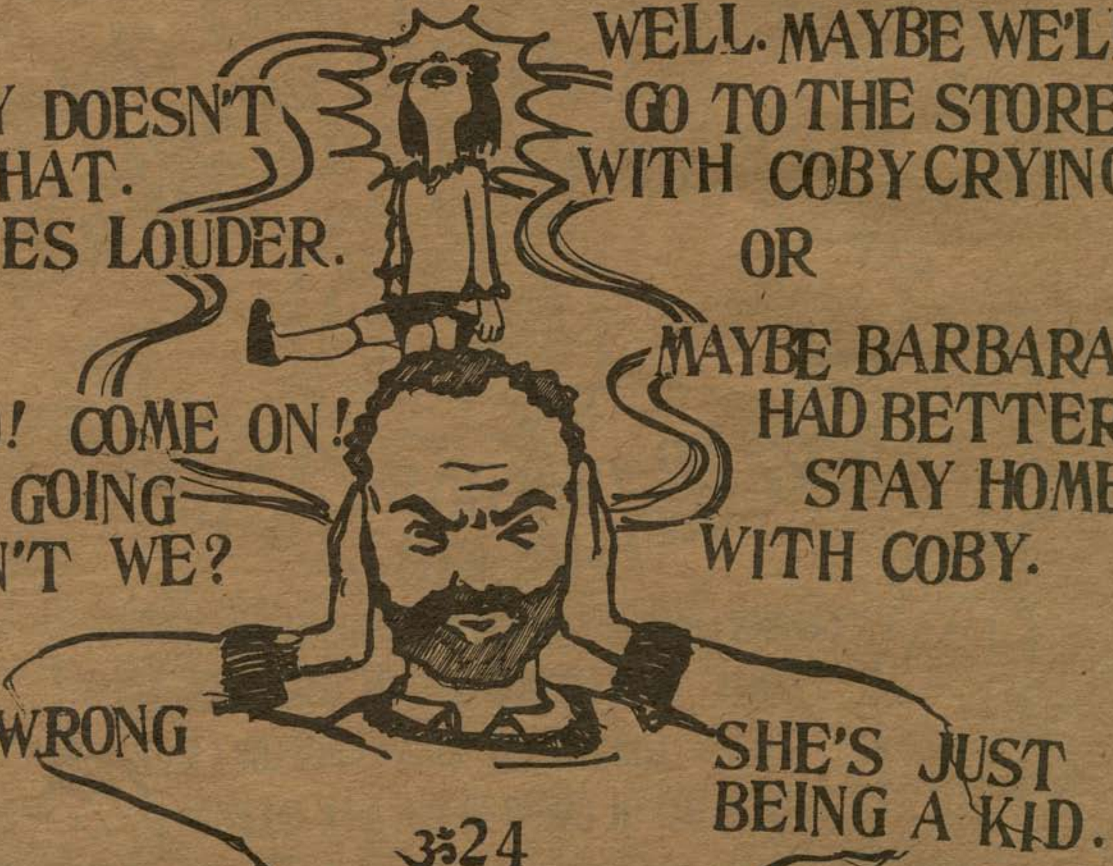
NOW: ABOUT FIVE YEARS AGO I'M LIVING IN THIS COMMUNITY IN CALIFORNIA, WITH A VERY VERY BEAUTIFUL HIGH BEING, STEVE DURKEE, A VISIONARY ARTIST: A VERY BEAUTIFUL GUY, HIS WIFE AND CHILD; AND I'D HAVE A DAY OFF. IT WOULD BE SATURDAY AND WE'D GO TO THE STORE, THE DOG, THE BABIES WE'D ALL GET INTO THE VOLKSWAGEN MICROBUS. THERE'D BE JANE, THE GAL I WAS LIVING WITH, AND HER BABY AND ME AND STEVE AND BARBARA, AND THE WHOLE SCENE, GOING SHOPPING.



WWWAAAAAAAAAAAAAA AAAAWWGGHH

WE'D GET TO THE DOOR AND DAKOTA (COBY)
STEVE'S DAUGHTER, WOULD START TO CRY
WELL NOW. WE GOTTA GET TO THE STORE.
I HAVE SATURDAY MORNINGS FREE AND
SATURDAYS WE SHOP. ALL RIGHT COBY. COOL IT!

COBY DOESN'T COOL IT. SHE CRIES.



WELL. MAYBE WE'LL GO TO THE STORE WITH COBY CRYING.

NO, COBY DOESN'T LIKE THAT. SHE CRIES LOUDER.

OR

MAYBE BARBARA HAD BETTER STAY HOME WITH COBY.

LET'S GO! COME ON! ARE WE GOING OR AREN'T WE?

WHAT'S WRONG COBY?

SHE'S JUST BEING A KID.

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HAAAAAAAAAAAAAAGGHHHYYYIIIAAAAAAAAAA

AAAAAAAAWWWWWWWAAAAAGHAAGHAAWA

AAAAAAAAAEEEEGHHGHHYEEEWAAAHHHHGH

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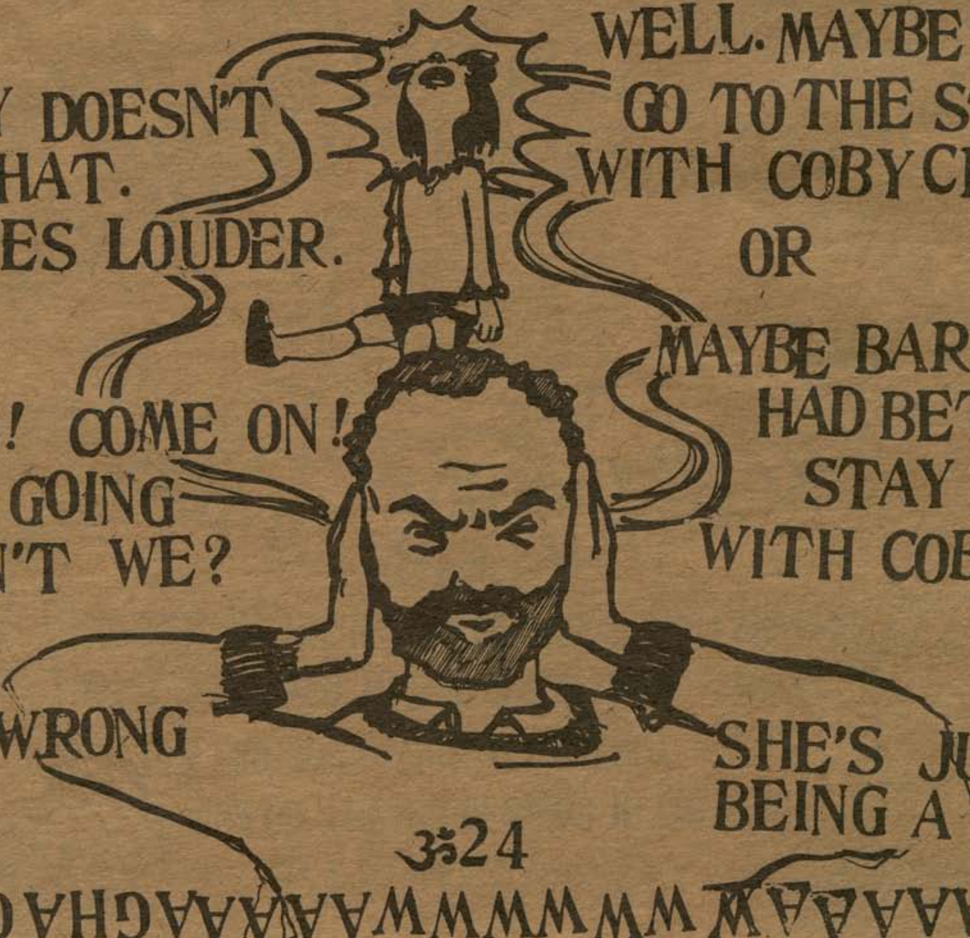

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AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAGGHHYYYIIIAAAAAAAAAA

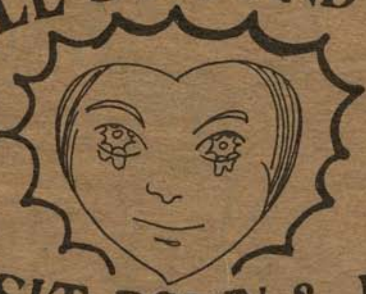
AAAAAAAAWWWWWWWWWAAAAAGHAGHAAWA

AAAAAAAAEEEEGHHGHHYEEWAAAAHHHHGHGH

STEVE SAYS:

WHAT'S THE USE OF GOING TO THE STORE
IT'S LIKE WHAT PRICE EFFICIENCY
WHAT HAPPENED TO THE VIBRATIONS WHAT
HAPPENED TO THE HUMAN BEINGS IN THAT SHUFFLE

SO WE'D DO THIS ABSURD THING
WE'D ALL STOP AND GATHER



WE'D ALL SIT DOWN & JOIN HANDS
AROUND THIS LITTLE KID
WE'D COOL OURSELVES OUT
COBY WOULD STOP CRYING

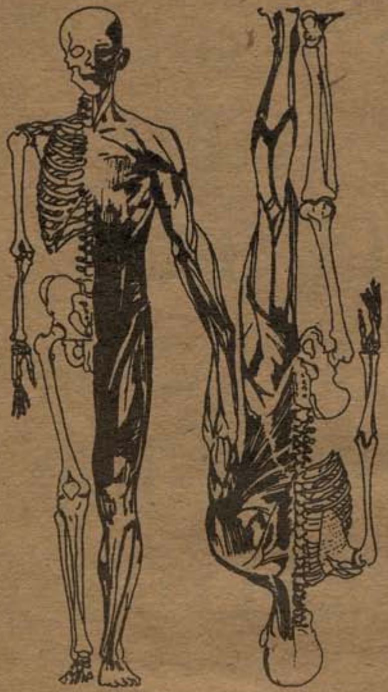
THEN WE'D GO TO THE STORE

AND STEVE TAUGHT ME THAT :

IF YOU GET SO EFFICIENT......
IF YOU'VE GOT TO TURN OFF ALL THE
VIBRATIONS OF THE SCENE...
BECAUSE YOU'RE SO BUSY
ABOUT THE FUTURE
OR THE PAST
OR TIME HAS CAUGHT YOU..

IT COSTS TOO MUCH !!

1-2-ME



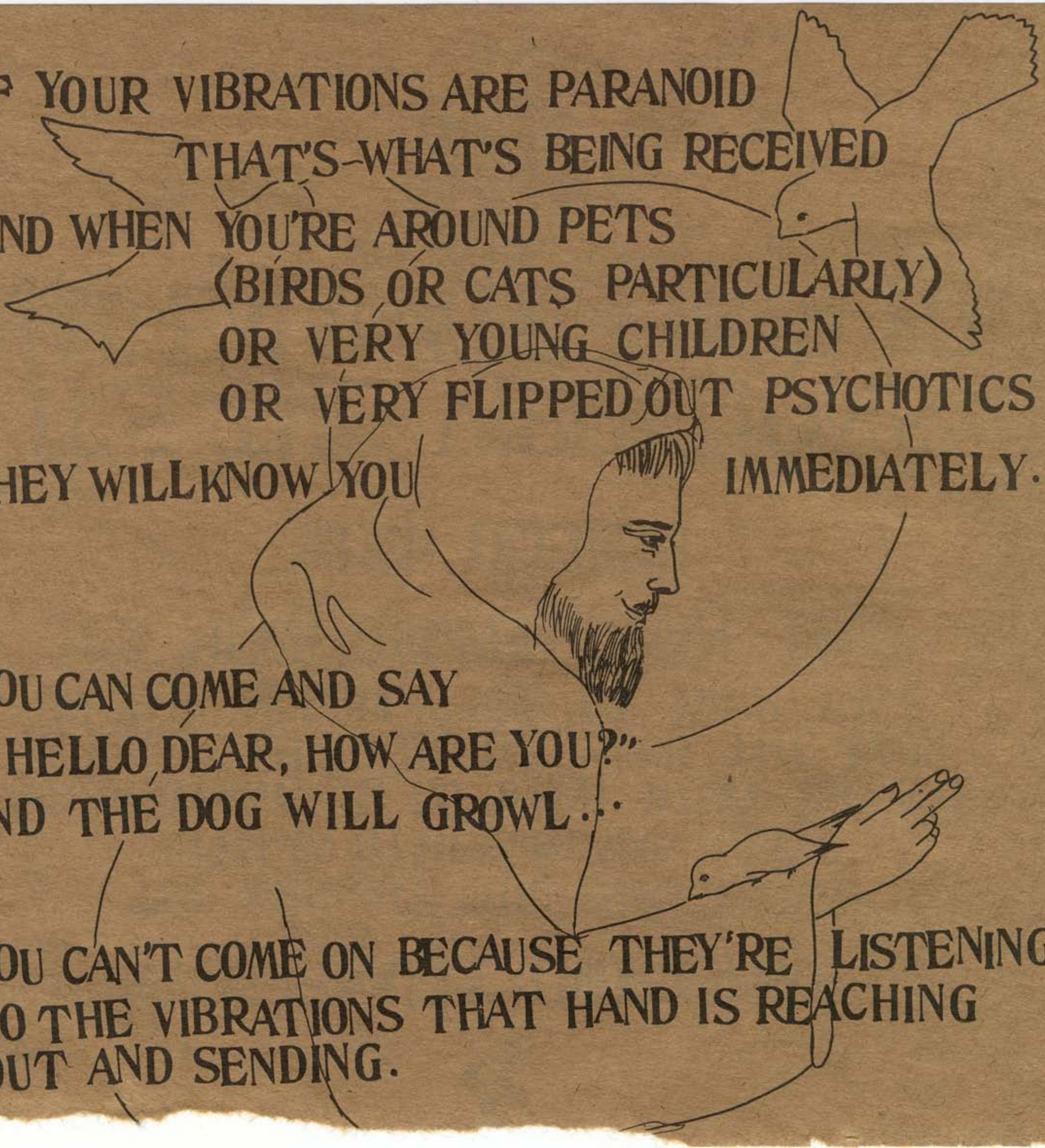
&

YOU FINALLY UNDERSTAND

THE MESSAGE YOU COMMUNICATE
WITH AN OTHER HUMAN BEING
HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH WHAT YOU SAY
IT HAS NOTHING TO DO, WITH THE LOOK
ON THE MUSCULATURE OF YOUR FACE
IT'S MUCH DEEPER THAN THAT

MUCH DEEPER!

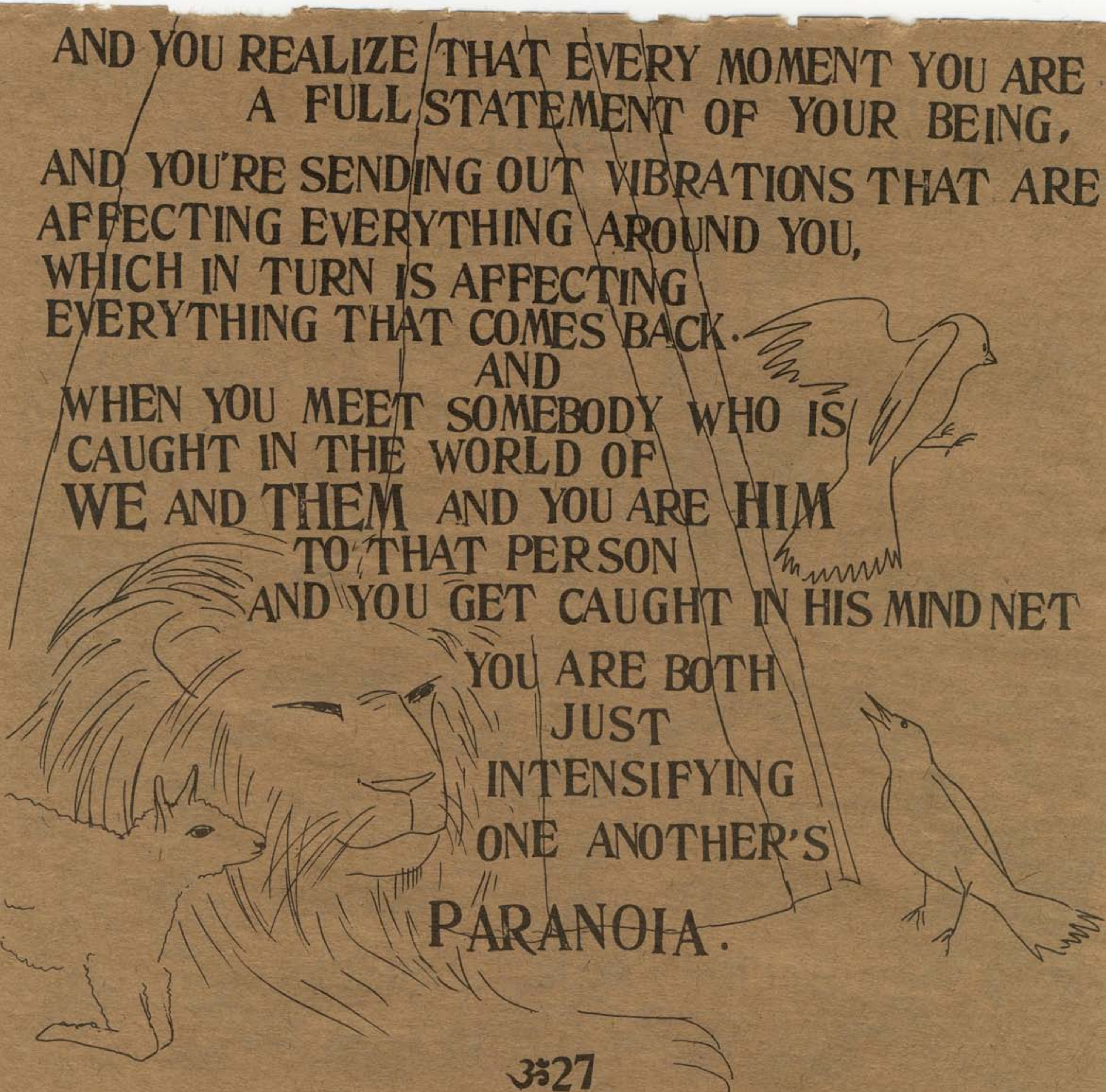
IT'S THE VIBRATIONS THAT EMANATE FROM YOU!



IF YOUR VIBRATIONS ARE PARANOID
THAT'S WHAT'S BEING RECEIVED
AND WHEN YOU'RE AROUND PETS
(BIRDS OR CATS PARTICULARLY)
OR VERY YOUNG CHILDREN
OR VERY FLIPPED OUT PSYCHOTICS
THEY WILL KNOW YOU IMMEDIATELY.

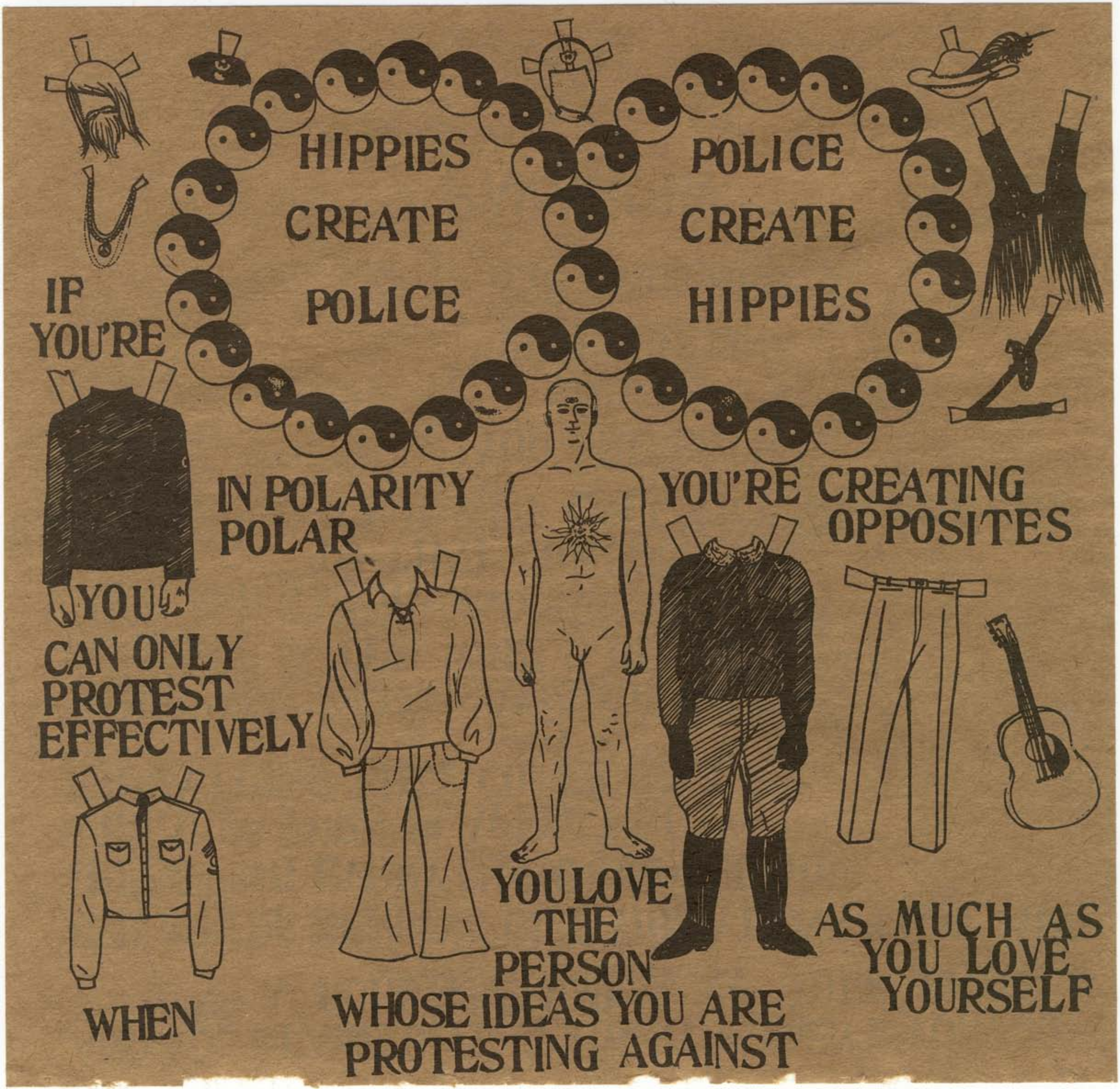
YOU CAN COME AND SAY
"HELLO DEAR, HOW ARE YOU?"
AND THE DOG WILL GROWL...

YOU CAN'T COME ON BECAUSE THEY'RE LISTENING
TO THE VIBRATIONS THAT HAND IS REACHING
OUT AND SENDING.

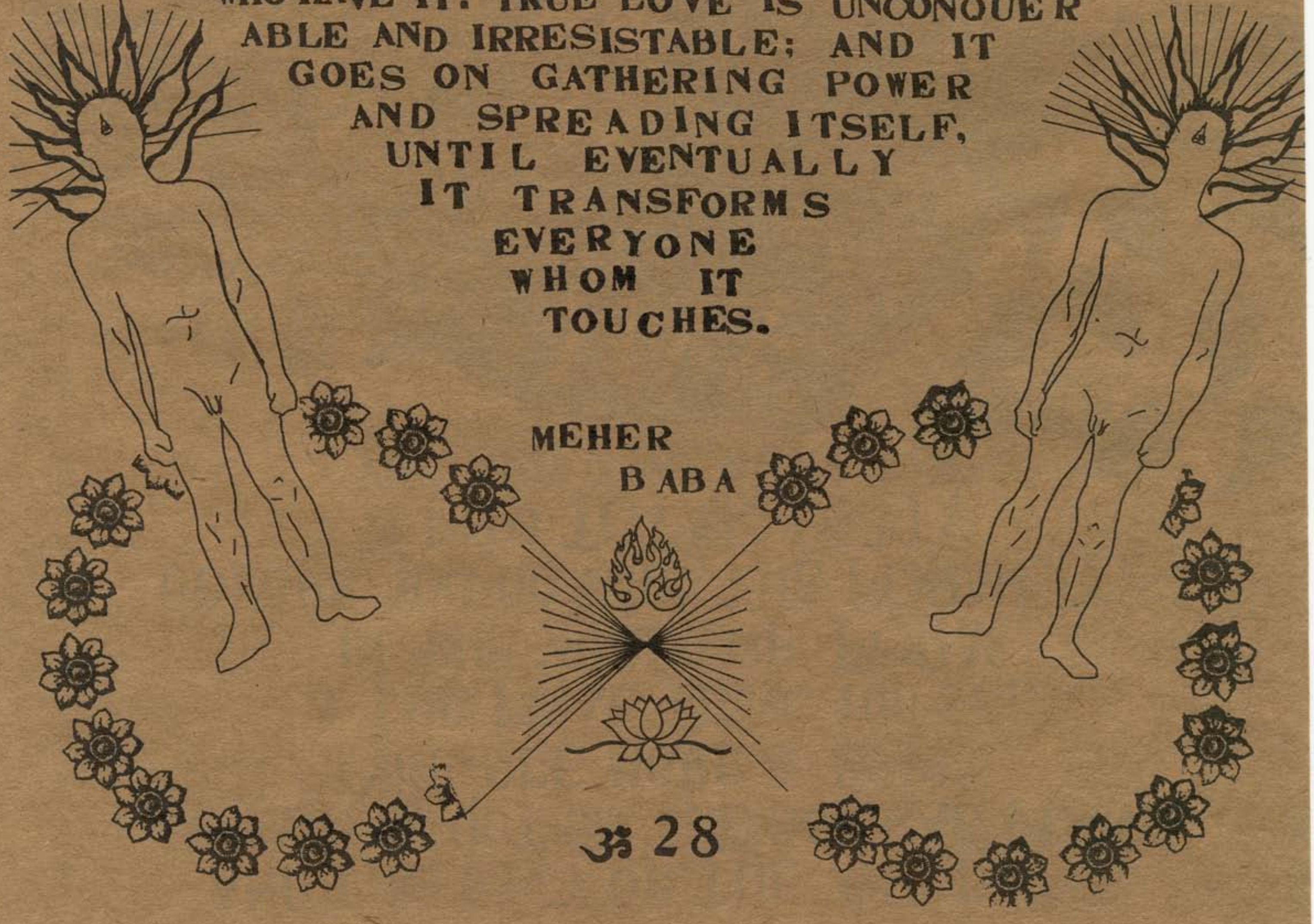


AND YOU REALIZE THAT EVERY MOMENT YOU ARE
A FULL STATEMENT OF YOUR BEING,
AND YOU'RE SENDING OUT VIBRATIONS THAT ARE
AFFECTING EVERYTHING AROUND YOU,
WHICH IN TURN IS AFFECTING
EVERYTHING THAT COMES BACK.
AND
WHEN YOU MEET SOMEBODY WHO IS
CAUGHT IN THE WORLD OF
WE AND **THEM** AND YOU ARE **HIM**
TO THAT PERSON
AND YOU GET CAUGHT IN HIS MIND NET
YOU ARE BOTH
JUST
INTENSIFYING
ONE ANOTHER'S

PARANOIA.


HIPPIES CREATE POLICE
POLICE CREATE HIPPIES
IF YOU'RE IN POLARITY POLAR
YOU'RE CREATING OPPOSITES
YOU CAN ONLY PROTEST EFFECTIVELY
WHEN
YOU LOVE THE PERSON WHOSE IDEAS YOU ARE PROTESTING AGAINST
AS MUCH AS YOU LOVE YOURSELF

LOVE HAS TO SPRING SPONTANEOUSLY FROM WITHIN: AND IT IS IN NO WAY AMENABLE TO ANY FORM OF INNER OR OUTER FORCE. LOVE AND COERCION CAN NEVER GO TOGETHER; BUT THOUGH LOVE CANNOT BE FORCED ON ANYONE, IT CAN BE AWAKENED IN HIM THROUGH LOVE ITSELF. LOVE IS ESSENTIALLY SELF-COMMUNICATIVE. THOSE WHO DO NOT HAVE IT CATCH IT FROM THOSE WHO HAVE IT. TRUE LOVE IS UNCONQUERABLE AND IRRESISTABLE; AND IT GOES ON GATHERING POWER AND SPREADING ITSELF, UNTIL EVENTUALLY IT TRANSFORMS EVERYONE WHOM IT TOUCHES.



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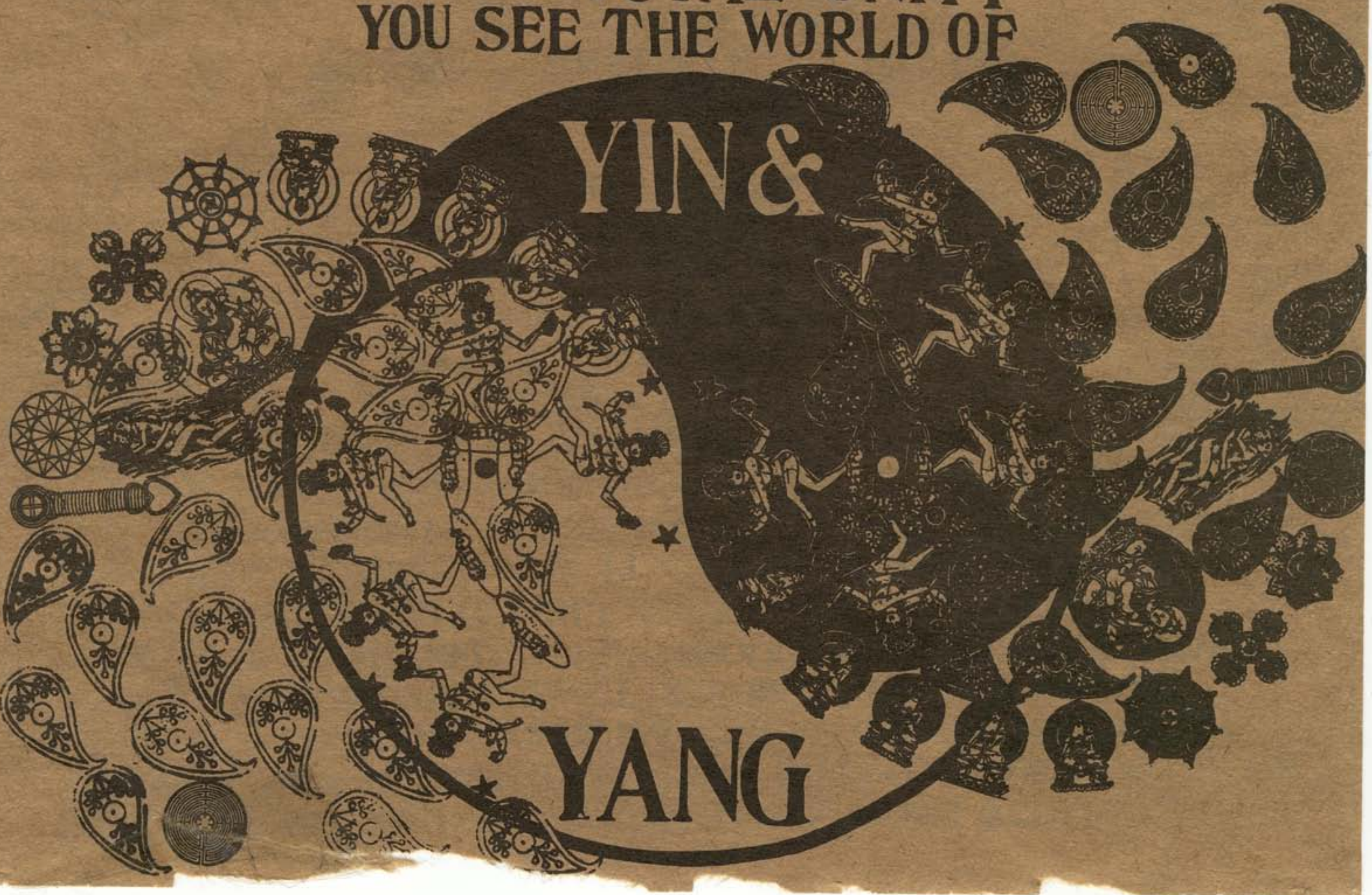
AND THE FACT OF THE MATTER IS:
AS YOU GO OUT ON THE ASTRAL PLANE
YOU SEE MORE & MORE
& THE FINAL THING YOU SEE
IN THE WORLD OF FORM
BEFORE YOU GO INTO THE FORMLESS
& INTO TOTAL UNITY
YOU SEE THE WORLD OF



AND THE WORLD OF YIN & YANG
IS ANOTHER ASTRAL PLANE
& IT'S ONE OF THE HIGHEST PLANES
IN THE WORLD OF FORM
BUT IT'S STILL DUALITY
IT IS STILL ☯ POLARIZATION

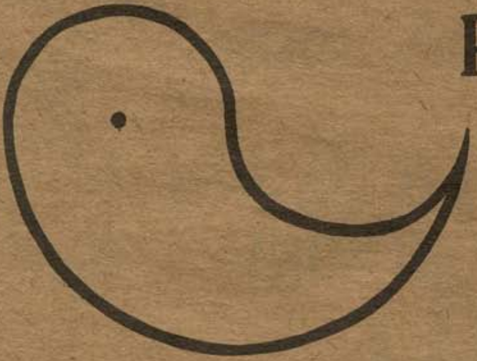
THERE IS GOD THERE IS MAN

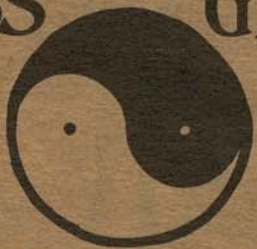
THERE IS GOOD THERE IS EVIL

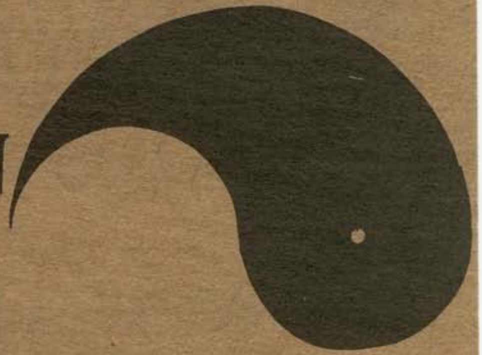
YES NO

PLEASURE PAIN

LOSS GAIN

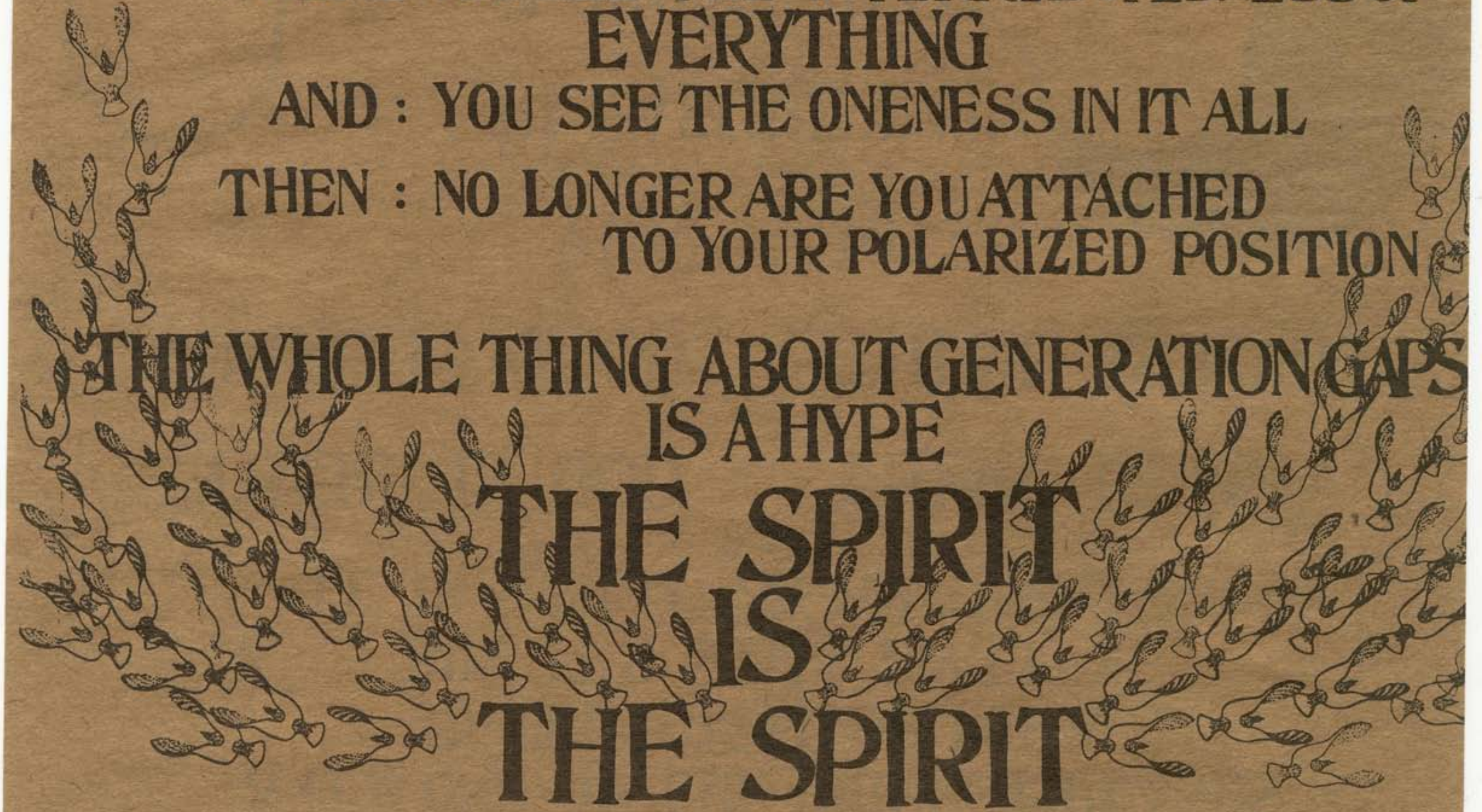






THE WORLD MOST EVERYBODY IS LIVING IN
MOST OF THE TIME

THE ONLY WAY OUT OF THAT IS TO TAKE
THE POLES OF EVERY SET OF OPPOSITES
AND SEE THE WAY IN WHICH
THEY ARE ONE
AND : IF YOU CAN GET INTO THAT PLACE
WHERE YOU SEE THE INTERRELATEDNESS OF
EVERYTHING
AND : YOU SEE THE ONENESS IN IT ALL
THEN : NO LONGER ARE YOU ATTACHED
TO YOUR POLARIZED POSITION



THE WHOLE THING ABOUT GENERATION GAPS
IS A HYPE
THE SPIRIT
IS
THE SPIRIT
WHEN YOU CAN CENTER AND SEE YOUR WHOLE LIFE
AS A STORY IN WHICH CHAPTERS ARE

CHAPTER 3
YOU
AS A
TRAVELER
ON
THE PATH

UNFOLDING

THEN: THE MOMENT-TO-MOMENT EGO INVOLVEMENT
"AM I GETTING ENOUGH AT THIS MOMENT?"
CEASES TO BE A DOMINANT THEME
AND: YOU START TO LIVE IN THE

TAO

(THE WAY)

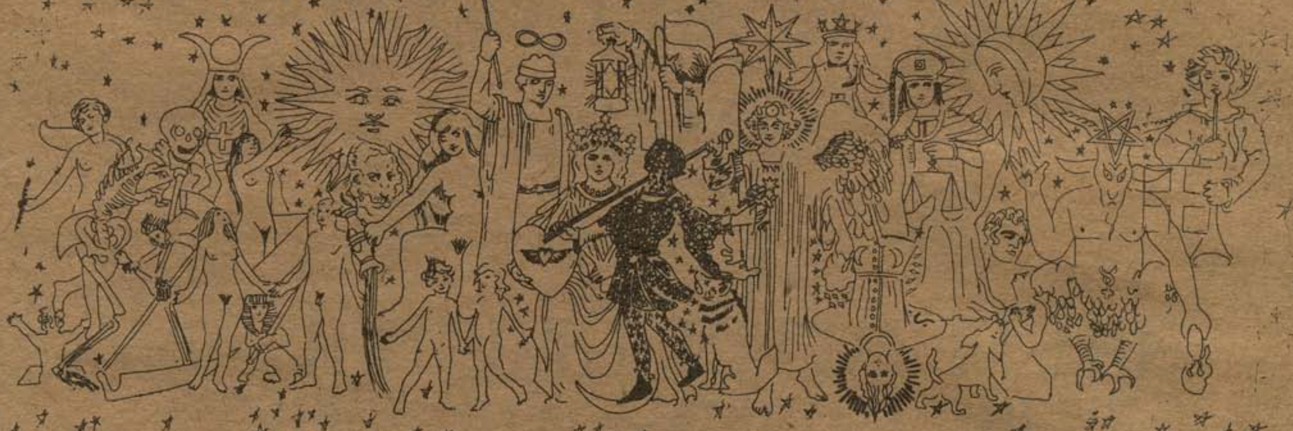
JESUS SAID: I AM THE WAY
IT'S THE SAME WAY!
THE WAY
IS THE WAY IS
THE WAY

THE WAY IS THE HARMONY OF THE UNIVERSE

WHEN ONE COMES INTO THE SPIRIT
WHEN ONE SEES HOW IT IS
ONE UNDERSTANDS THAT BEHIND ALL THE INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES

MAN-WOMBMAN

BIG-LITTLE



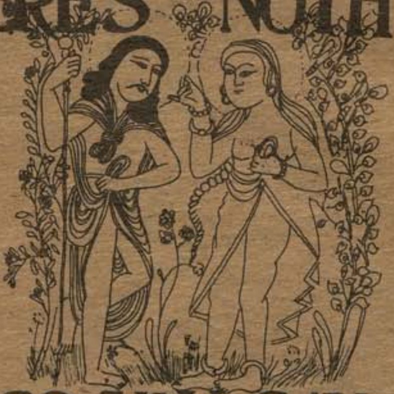
OLD-YOUNG

GOOD-BAD

EVERY LABEL YOU CAN THINK OF
BECOMES BACKGROUND INSTEAD OF FIGURE
WHAT STANDS OUT IS:

HERE WE ARE
HERE & NOW
THAT'S ALL THERE IS

AND IF IT ISN'T BEAUTIFUL, MAN
THERE'S NOTHING



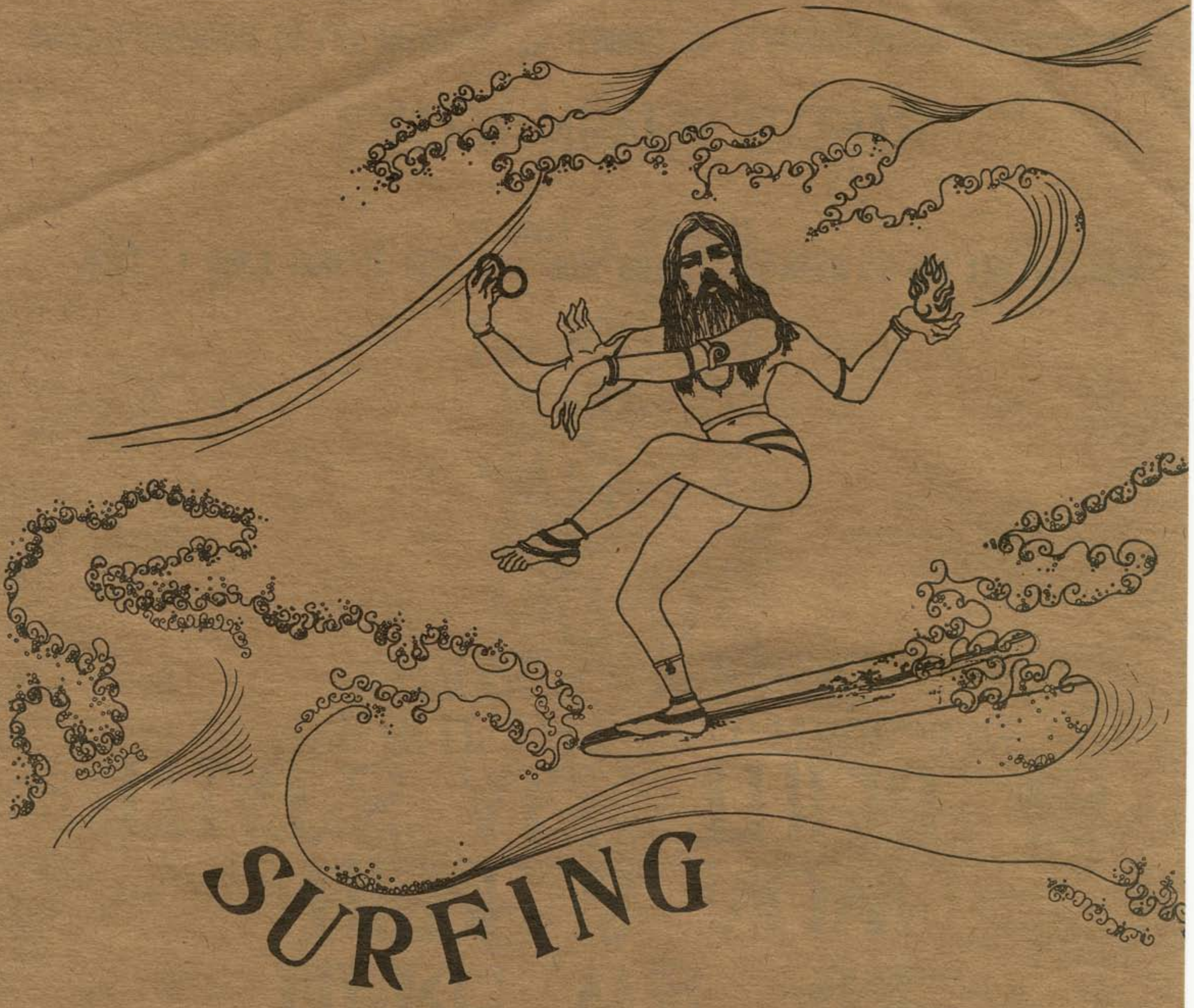
SO YOU SAY:

WELL, I CAN'T HAVE IT BEAUTIFUL NOW. BUT, LATER! WHEN WE GET THE FOOD HOME
IT WILL BE BEAUTIFUL

LATER NEVER EXISTS

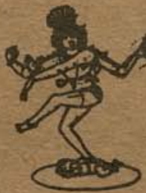
WHAT'S HAPPENED TO LIFE INSURANCE, TO TENURE, TO PLANNING, SAVING, RESPONSIBILITIES?

NOTHING'S HAPPENED TO ANY OF IT!


SURFING

EITHER YOU DO
IT LIKE IT'S
A BIG
WEIGHT
ON YOU

OR YOU DO IT
AS
PART OF THE DANCE



WHEN YOU UNDERSTAND
"THE THOUGHT IS THE THOUGHT
OF THE THOUGHTLESS
YOUR SINGING AND DANCING
IS NO OTHER THAN THE VOICE
OF THE DHARMA"

HAKUIN

SHIVA'S DANCE OF LIFE

SINGING

AND

DANCING

AND

INSURANCE

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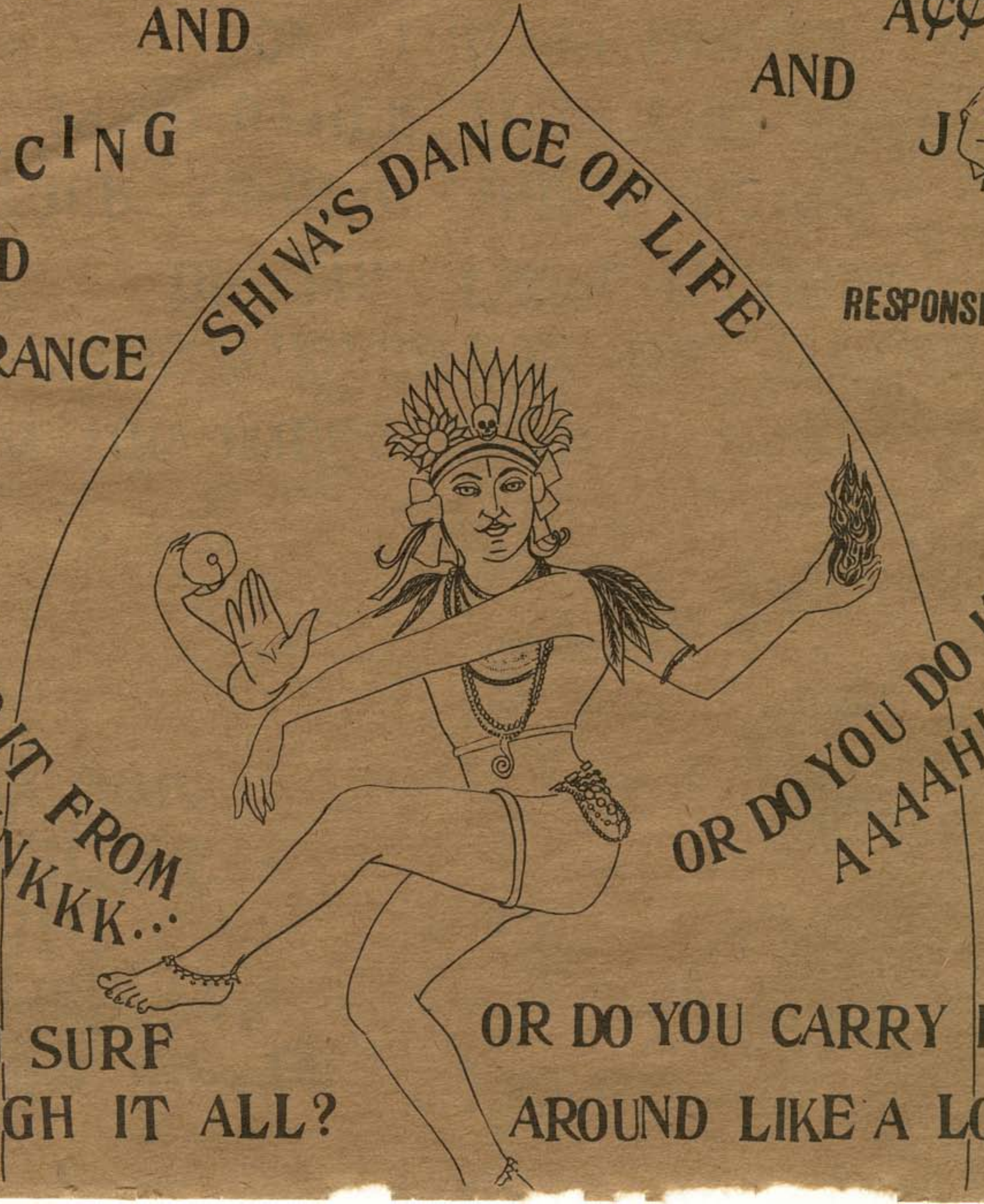
AND

JOB

AND

RESPONSIBILITY



DO YOU DO IT FROM

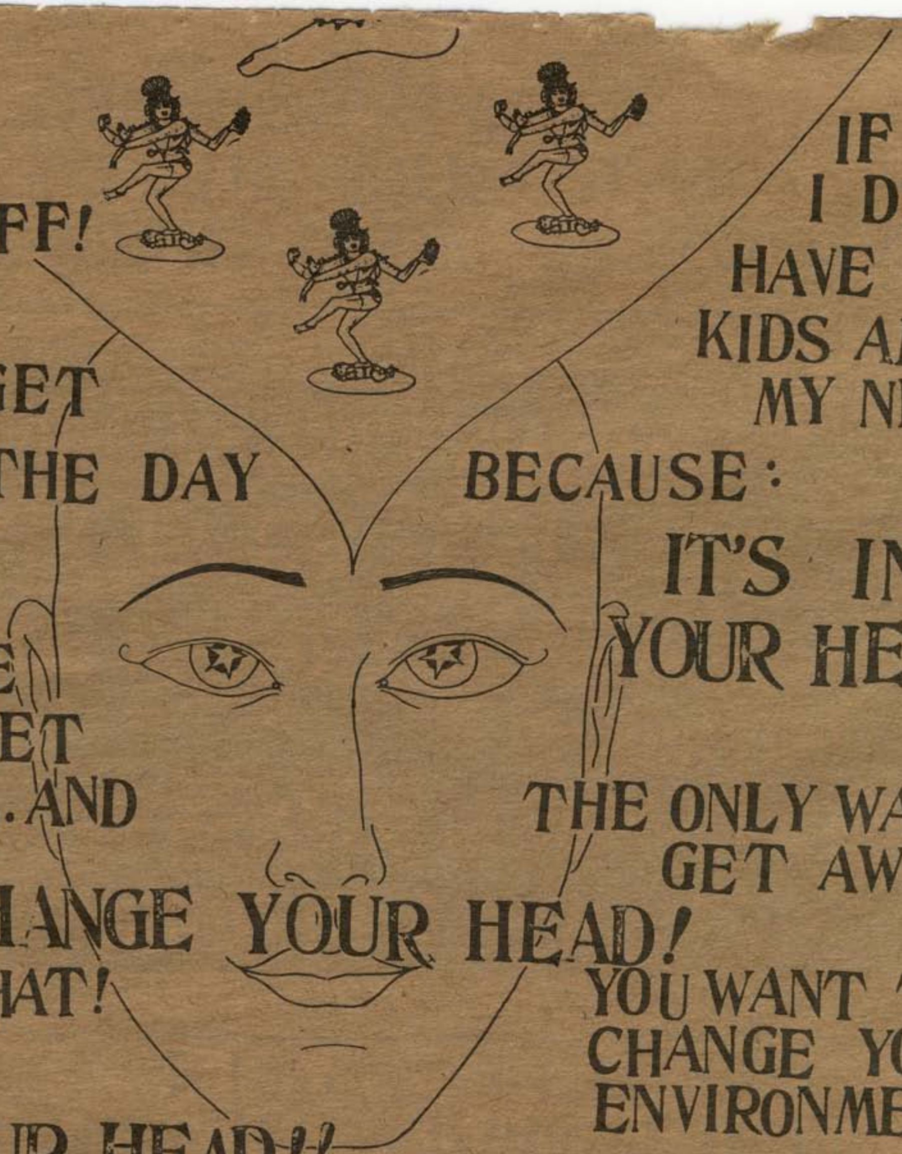
UUNNNKKK...

OR DO YOU DO IT FROM

AAAAHHHHH!!

DO YOU SURF
THROUGH IT ALL?

OR DO YOU CARRY IT
AROUND LIKE A LOAD?



IF ONLY
YOU COULD
THROW IT OFF!

IF ONLY
I DIDN'T
HAVE THESE
KIDS AROUND
MY NECK...

YOU CAN'T GET
AWAY FOR THE DAY
BECAUSE:
IT'S IN
YOUR HEAD!

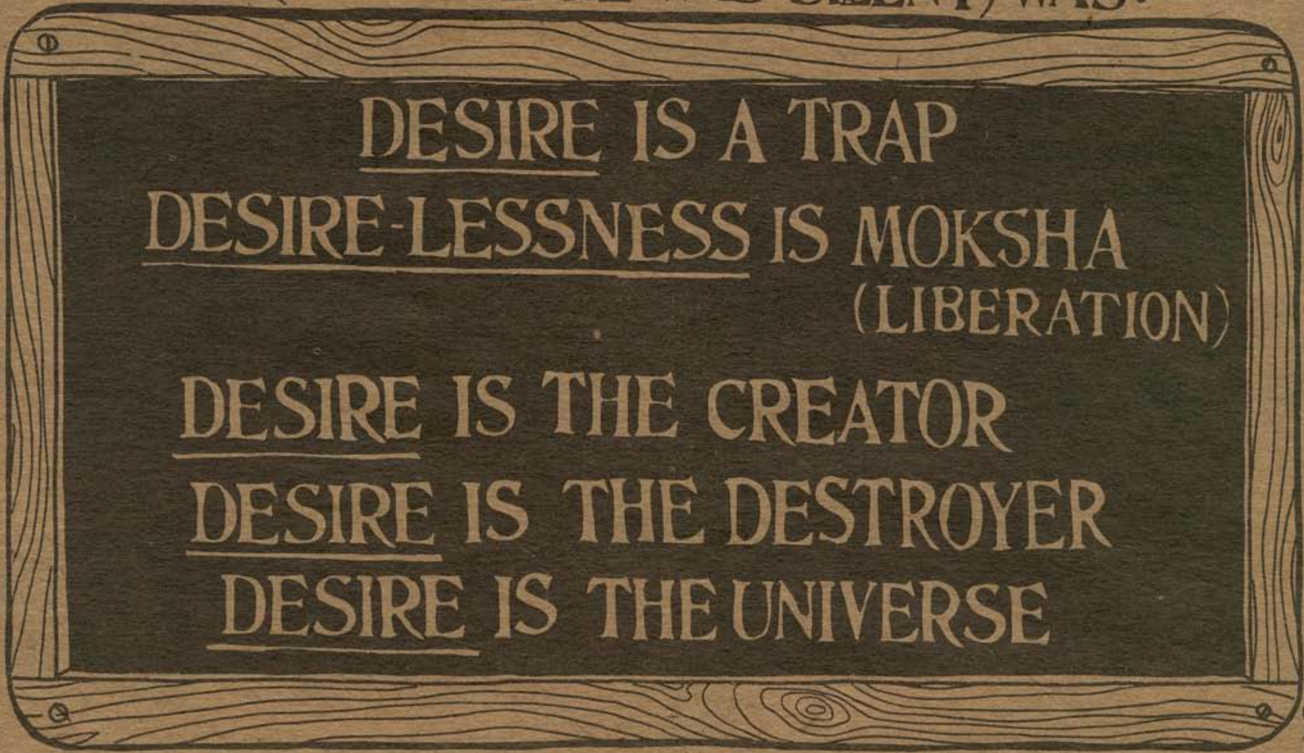
THAT YOU'RE
TRYING TO GET
AWAY FROM... AND
THE ONLY WAY TO
GET AWAY
IS TO
CHANGE YOUR HEAD!
SIMPLE AS THAT!

YOU WANT TO
CHANGE YOUR
ENVIRONMENT?
CHANGE YOUR HEAD!!

IT'S ALL THE
ECSTATIC MOMENT!
IF YOU KNOW HOW TO DIG IT... IF NOT... IT'S A
TRAVESTY... THAT'S ॐ33 ALL. PROFANE....

DESIRE

THE FIRST THING IN MY TEACHER'S BOOK, THE FIRST THING HE EVER WROTE ON HIS SLATE (BECAUSE HE WAS SILENT) WAS:



DESIRE IS A TRAP

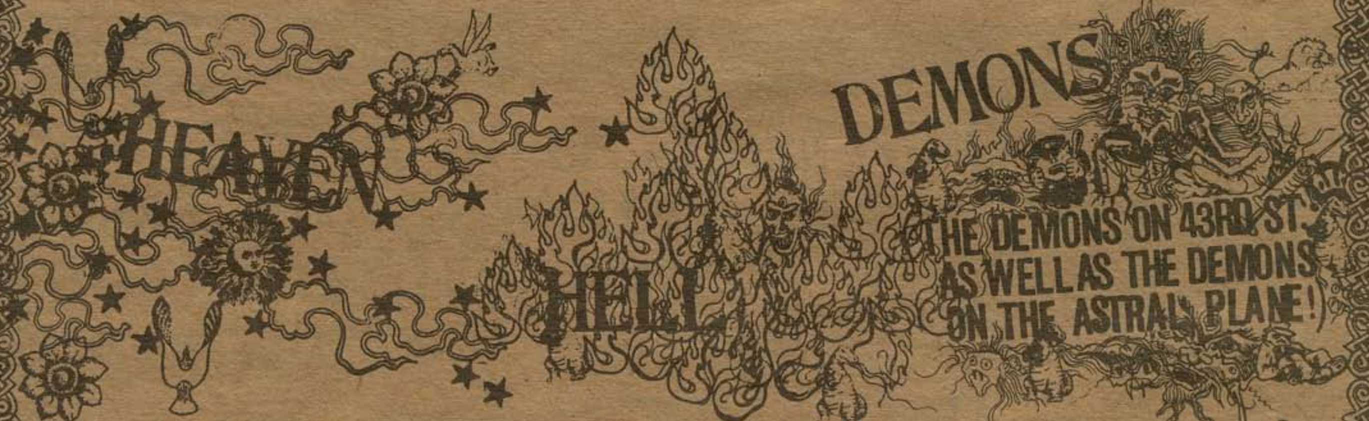
DESIRE-LESSNESS IS MOKSHA (LIBERATION)

DESIRE IS THE CREATOR

DESIRE IS THE DESTROYER

DESIRE IS THE UNIVERSE

AND: THAT APPLIES TO THE PHYSICAL PLANE
THE ASTRAL PLANE
THE CAUSAL PLANE


HEAVEN
HELL
DEMONS
(THE DEMONS ON 43RD ST.
AS WELL AS THE DEMONS
ON THE ASTRAL PLANE!)

ARE ALL THE CREATIONS OF DESIRE!

ALL THE MANIFESTATIONS
OF THE DIVINE MOTHER
ARE CREATIONS OF DESIRE!

THAT'S WHY NAGA, (THE NAKED ASCETIC),
WORKED ON GETTING RAMAKRISHNA TO
GO BEYOND HIS LOVE FOR KALI.

GIVE UP EVEN THE
DESIRE TO BE EXPERIENCING THE BLISS
OF BEING IT ALL
OF BEING WITH THE DIVINE MOTHER

THE BUDDHISTS SAY: (I'M TALKING ABOUT THE NON-DUALISTIC BUDDHISTS)
CUT OUT ALL THIS MIDDLE STUFF!

THEY SAY:
DON'T GET HUNG UP ON ALL THESE DIFFERENT
DESIRE TRIPS. JUST GO BEYOND IT ALL.

BUDDHA'S 4 NOBLE TRUTHS

ARE VERY STRAIGHTFORWARD AND VERY SIMPLE.

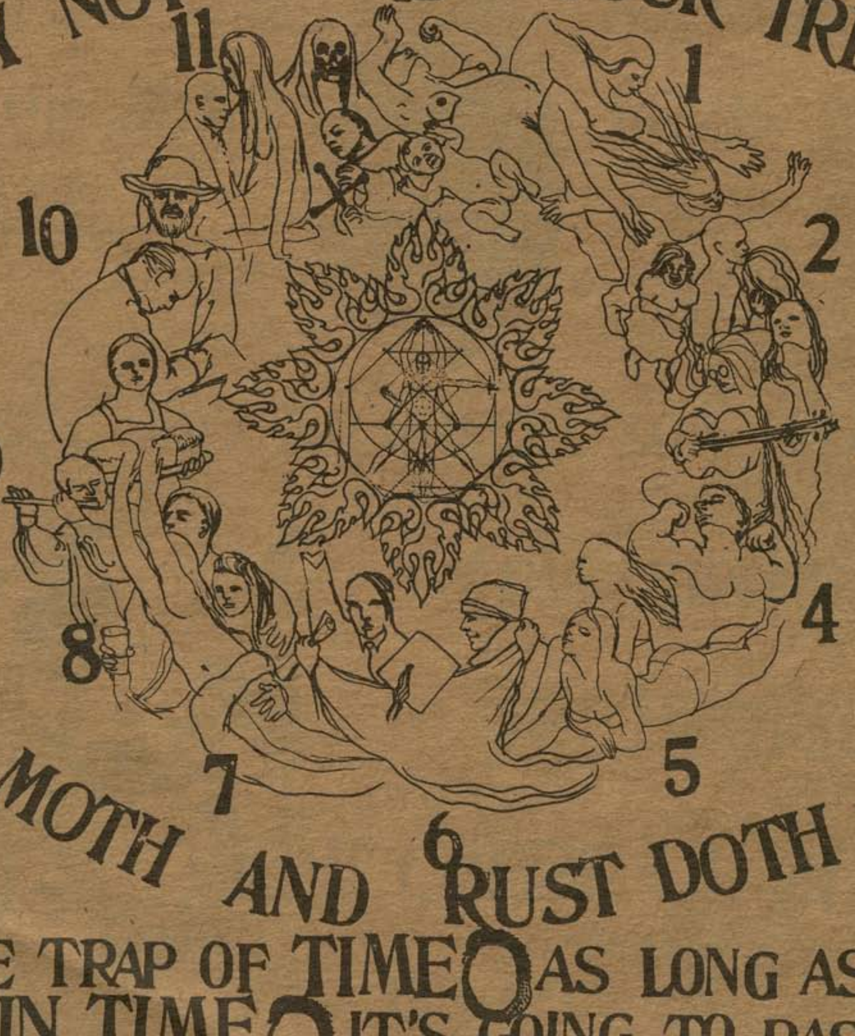
THE FIRST ONE

CONCERNS THE FACT THAT LIFE ALWAYS HAS IN IT
THE ELEMENT OF UNFULFILLMENT:
CALL IT SUFFERING

BIRTH OLD AGE SICKNESS NOT GETTING WHAT YOU WANT GETTING WHAT YOU DON'T WANT EVEN GETTING WHAT YOU WANT IN THIS PHYSICAL WORLD IS GOING TO BE SUFFERING BECAUSE:

YOU'RE GOING TO LOSE IT!
IT'S ALWAYS IN TIME○!
ANYTHING THAT IS IN TIME○ IS GOING TO PASS AWAY.

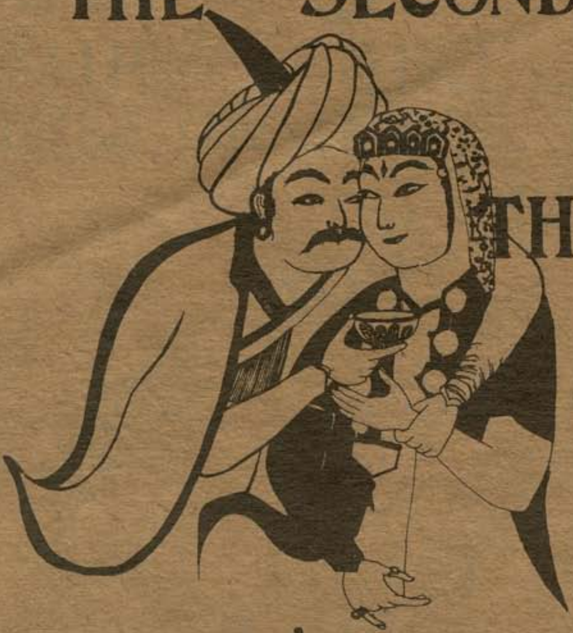
LAY NOT UP YOUR TREASURES



WHERE MOTH AND RUST DOTH CORRUPT

THAT'S THE TRAP OF TIME○ AS LONG AS YOU WANT ANYTHING IN TIME○ IT'S GOING TO PASS BECAUSE
TIME○ PASSES

THE SECOND NOBLE TRUTH



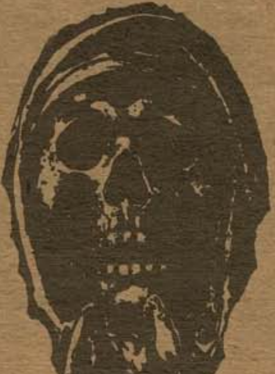
IS:

THE CAUSE OF SUFFERING

IS DESIRE

(OR CRAVING)

IF YOU DON'T TRY TO HOLD YOU DON'T SUFFER



OVER THE LOSS

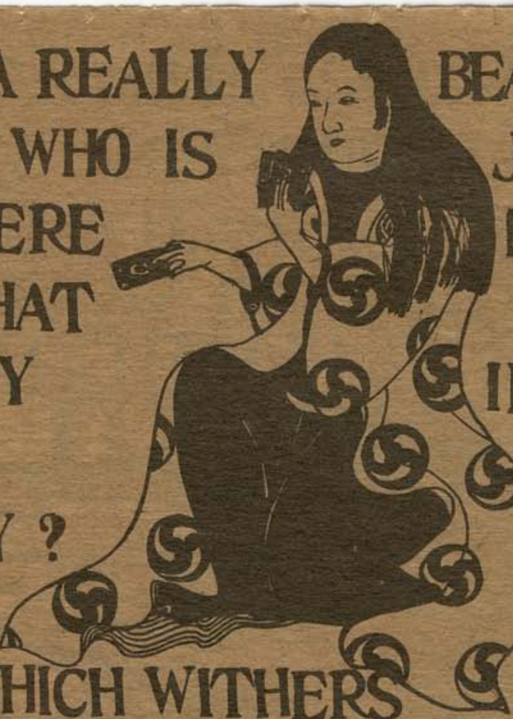
IF YOU DON'T YOU DON T

WORSHIP LIFE FEAR DEATH

BUT IF YOU TRY TO HOLD ON TO LIFE IT'S

VERY SAD YOU CAN HONOR LIFE BUT IF YOU

TRY TO HOLD ON TO LIFE .... IT'S VERY SAD



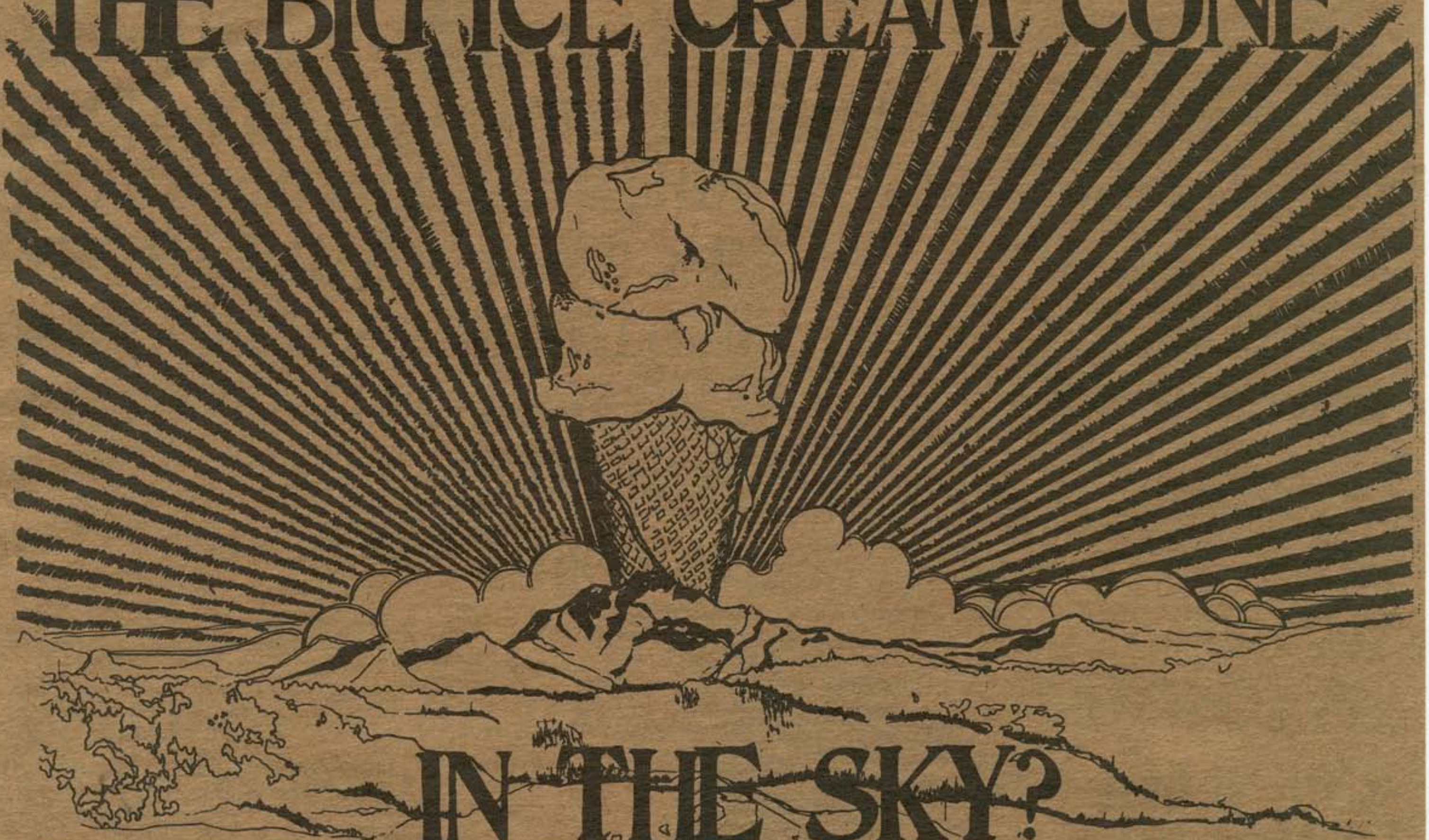
DID YOU EVER SEE A REALLY BEAUTIFUL WOMAN
LIKE A TOP MODEL WHO IS JUST GETTING
TO THAT POINT WHERE HER LOOKS ARE
CHANGING INTO WHAT COULD BE AN
INTERNAL BEAUTY IF SHE HADN'T
BEEN SO BUSY WITH HER
EXTERNAL BEAUTY ? SHE IS CAUGHT
IN THE BEAUTY OF TIME
WHICH WITHERS
HOW POIGNANT !

& YET
WE'VE ALL TOUCHED PEOPLE
WHO WERE SO BEAUTIFUL
AS BEINGS THAT WE
NEVER NOTICE WHETHER
THEY ARE PHYSICALLY
BEAUTIFUL IT'S LIKE
AN ETERNAL BEAUTY
LIVES WITHIN THEM

WELL
IF YOU ATTACH
YOURSELF
IF YOU CRAVE
TEMPORAL THINGS
BEAUTY POSSESSIONS
ACHIEVEMENT
ANYTHING
HOW POIGNANT !

EXAMPLE: SOME BODY LOOKS AT YOU SEDUCTIVELY...
AN ICE CREAM CONE GOES BY............WILL IT EVER BE

THE BIG ICE CREAM CONE



IN THE SKY?

WILL IT EVER BE AN ETERNAL ICE CREAM CONE?
OR.... IS IT ALWAYS GOING TO MELT?
YOU GOTTA KEEP EATING IT YET IT MELTS & MELTS
THAT'S ITS PROBLEM
YOU GOTTA KEEP EATING IT CUZ IT WILL MELT.....

....& THEN IT'S GONE
& YOU KNOW THAT TASTE IN YOUR MOUTH WHEN YOU
FINISH &.... YOU WANT A GLASS OF WATER? RIGHT?...
THEN YOU HAVE A GLASS OF WATER & THERE'S THAT
BLOATY FEELING?..
THEN, YOU'RE READY FOR THE NEXT ONE.....
TO GET RID OF THAT ONE.........
LET'S TAKE A WALK.... & YOU TAKE A WALK.....
IT'S COLD OUT. LET'S HAVE SOME HOT CHOCOLATE.
YES, LET'S HAVE SOME, & ON & ON & ON & IT'S CALLED

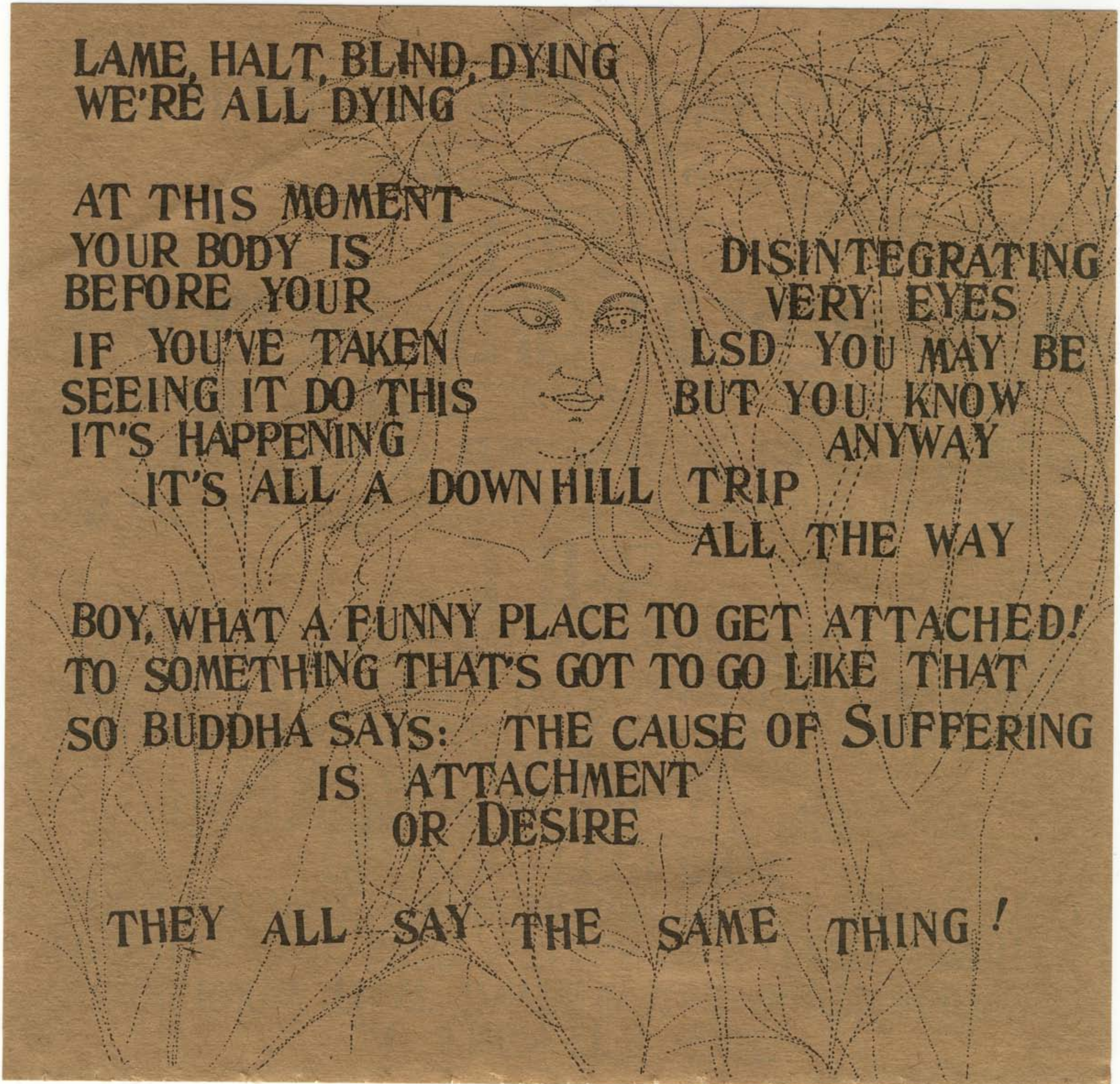
LIFE

❁ YOU SEE: THE OPPOSITE OF CRAVING IS SAYING
BABY, THIS IS THE WAY IT IS ❁ YEAH ❁
❁ OK ❁ HERE & NOW ❁ THIS IS IT

I ACCEPT THE HERE & NOW
FULLY

· AS · IT · IS ·

RIGHT AT THIS MOMENT !!!

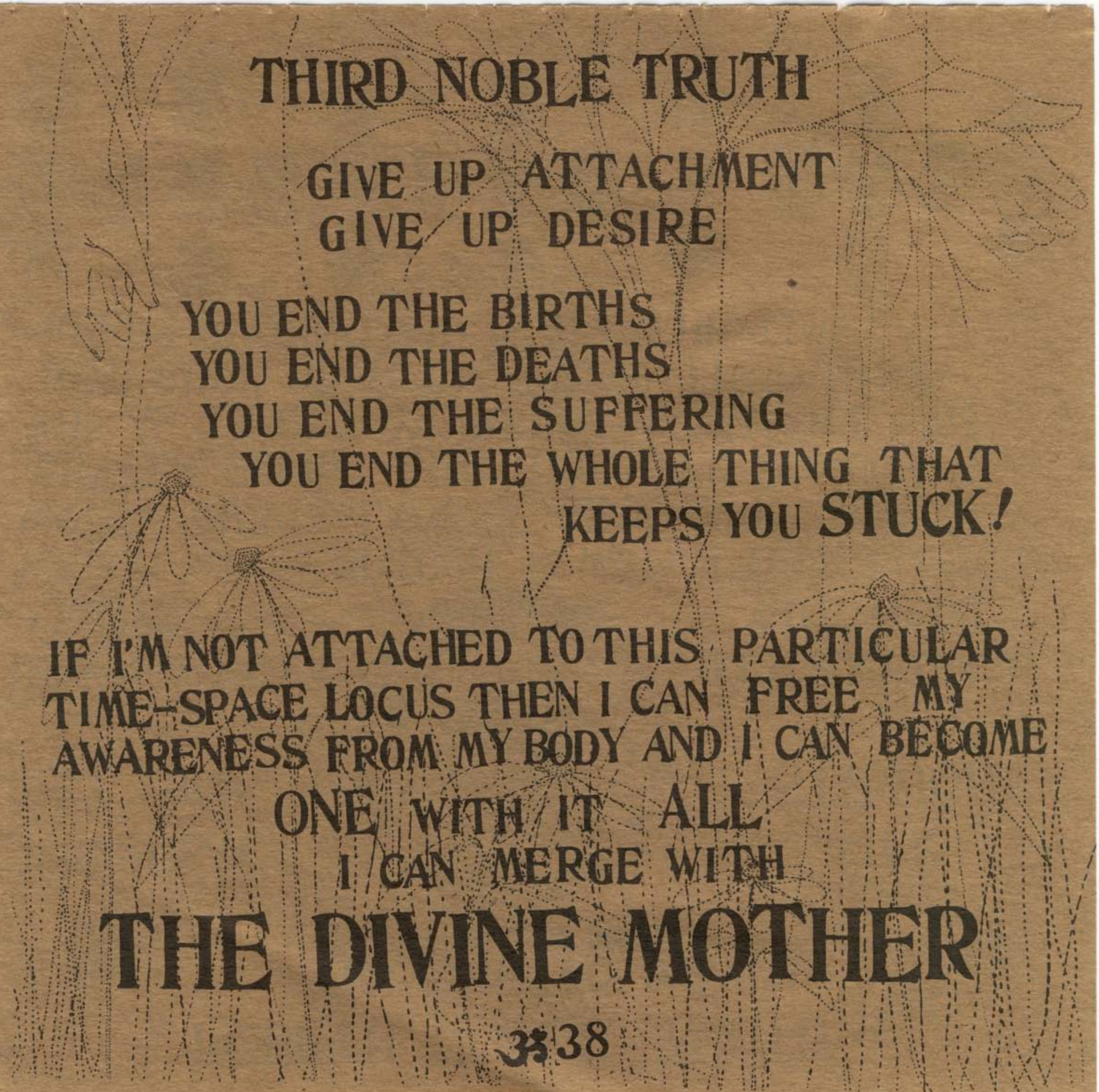


LAME, HALT, BLIND, DYING
WE'RE ALL DYING

AT THIS MOMENT
YOUR BODY IS DISINTEGRATING
BEFORE YOUR VERY EYES
IF YOU'VE TAKEN LSD YOU MAY BE
SEEING IT DO THIS BUT YOU KNOW
IT'S HAPPENING ANYWAY
IT'S ALL A DOWNHILL TRIP
ALL THE WAY

BOY, WHAT A FUNNY PLACE TO GET ATTACHED!
TO SOMETHING THAT'S GOT TO GO LIKE THAT
SO BUDDHA SAYS: THE CAUSE OF SUFFERING
IS ATTACHMENT
OR DESIRE

THEY ALL SAY THE SAME THING!



THIRD NOBLE TRUTH

GIVE UP ATTACHMENT
GIVE UP DESIRE

YOU END THE BIRTHS
YOU END THE DEATHS
YOU END THE SUFFERING
YOU END THE WHOLE THING THAT
KEEPS YOU **STUCK!**

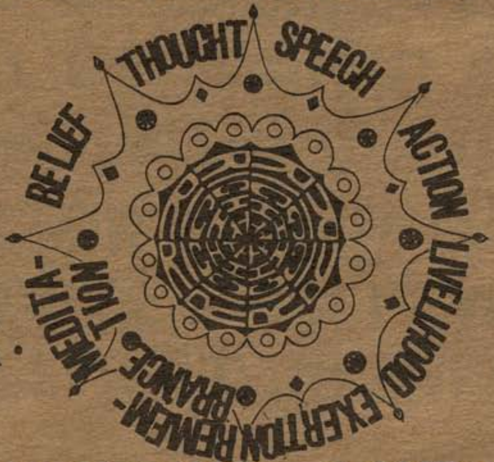
IF I'M NOT ATTACHED TO THIS PARTICULAR
TIME-SPACE LOCUS THEN I CAN FREE MY
AWARENESS FROM MY BODY AND I CAN BECOME
ONE WITH IT ALL
I CAN MERGE WITH

THE DIVINE MOTHER

FOURTH NOBLE TRUTH IS:

THE EIGHTFOLD PATH
(FOR GETTING RID OF DESIRE)

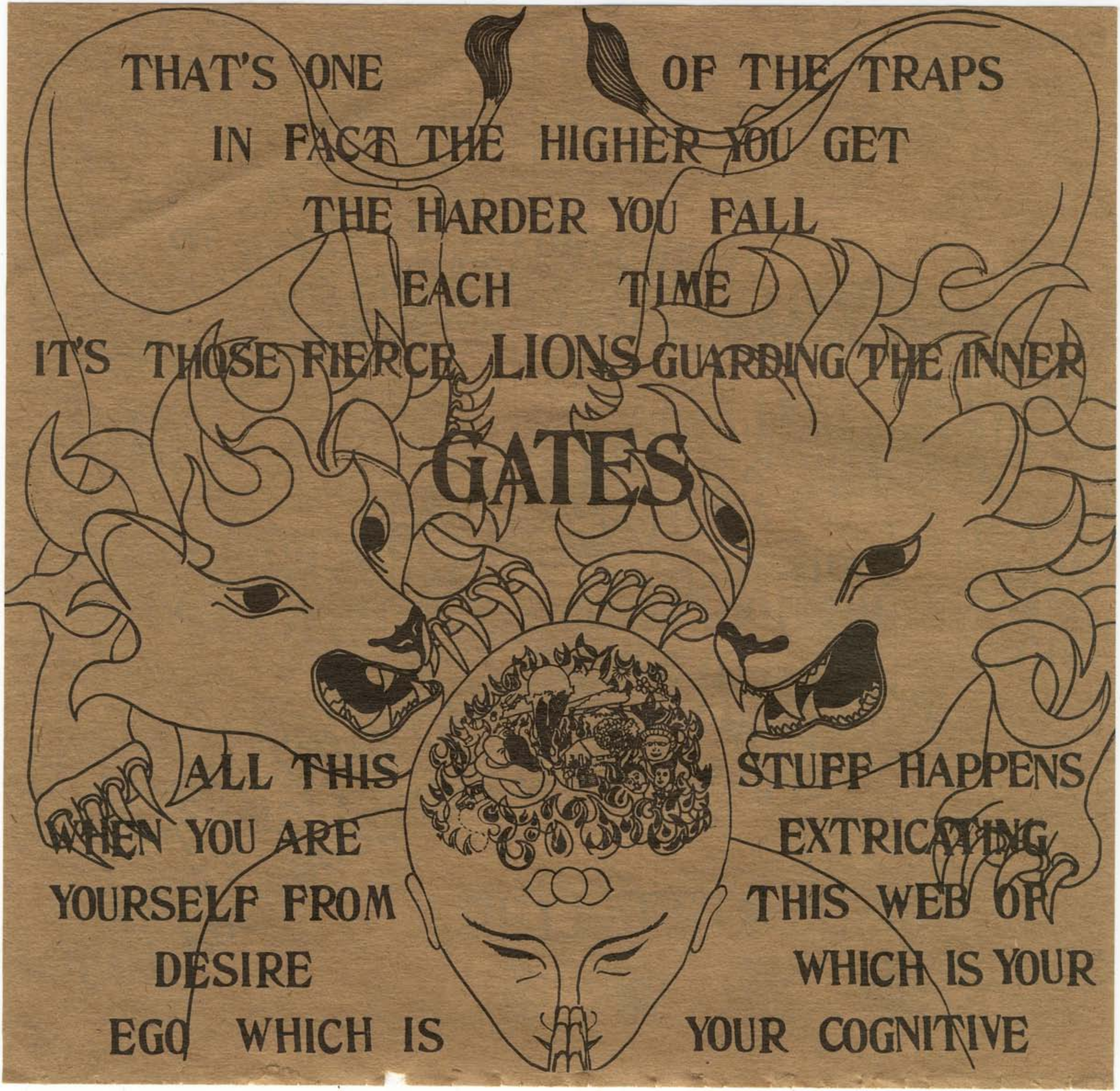
WHICH SAYS:
GET YOUR LIFE STRAIGHT


BELIEF
THOUGHT
SPEECH
ACTION
LIVELIHOOD
EXERTION
REMEMBRANCE
MEDITATION

DO YOUR WORK. DO EVERYTHING YOU'VE GOT TO DO.
WATCH YOUR SPEECH. WATCH YOUR THOUGHT. WATCH YOUR CALMNESS. GET YOUR CALM CENTER GOING. LIVE YOUR LIFE IN SUCH A WAY AS TO GET YOURSELF STRAIGHT, TO GET FREE OF ATTACHMENT THAT JUST KEEPS SUCKING YOU IN ALL THE TIME.

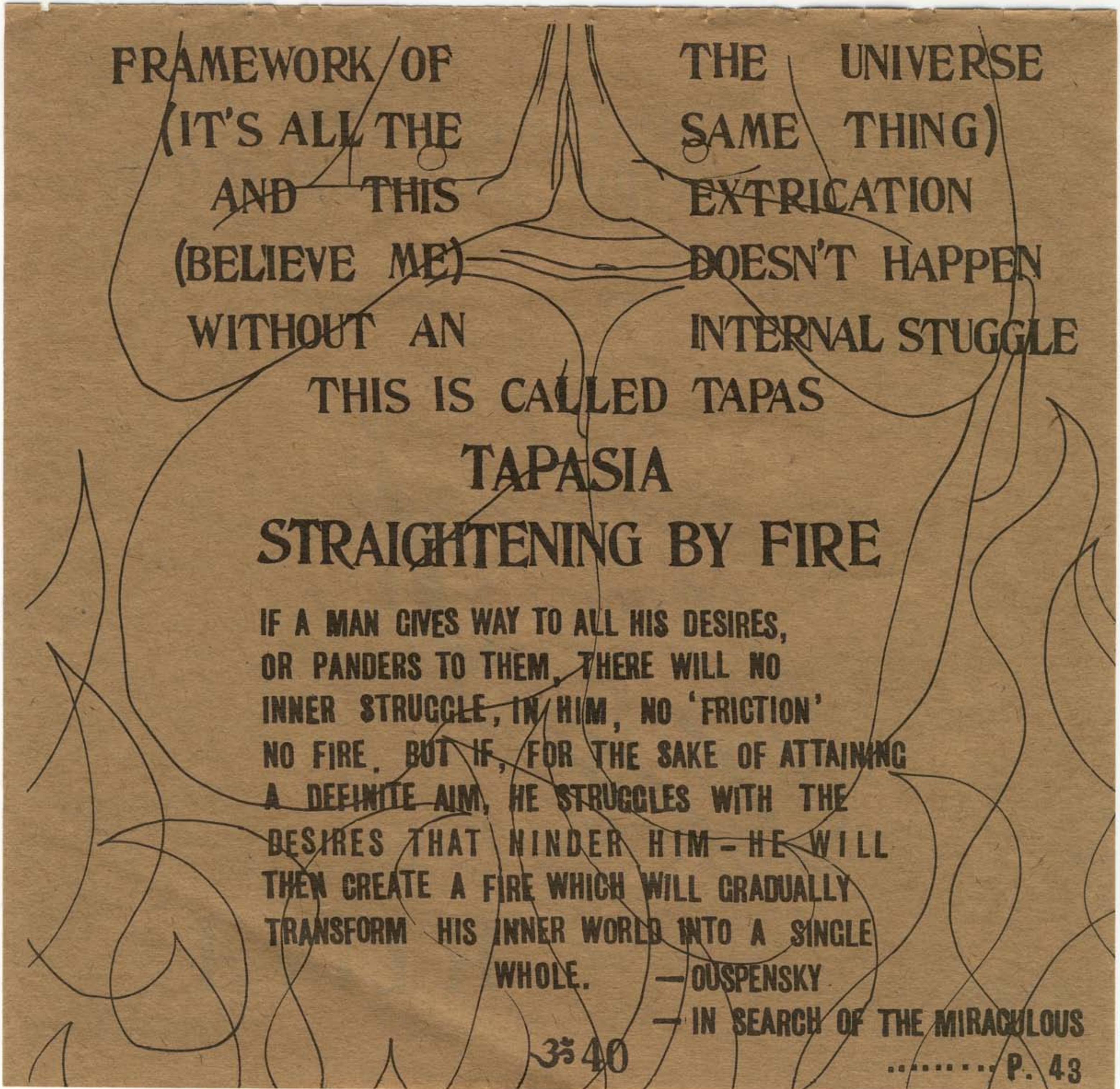
GET FREE OF DESIRE

GET FREE OF DESIRE. IT'S A LITTLE LIKE A ROLLER COASTER. THIS IS JUST THE WAY IT WORKS. IF YOU READ ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS' "DARK NIGHT OF THE SOUL" YOU KNOW HOW IT IS. YOU'VE REALLY BEEN WORKING ON YOURSELF AND YOU'RE VERY PURE AND SOMETHING VERY HIGH HAPPENS TO YOU: YOU FEEL LIBERATED. AND THEN: YOUR EGO WALKS AROUND AND PATS YOU ON THE SHOULDER: "PRETTY GOOD! LOOK HOW HOLY YOU'RE BECOMING." AND YOU FALL..... AGAIN



THAT'S ONE OF THE TRAPS
IN FACT THE HIGHER YOU GET
THE HARDER YOU FALL
EACH TIME
IT'S THOSE FIERCE LIONS GUARDING THE INNER
GATES

ALL THIS STUFF HAPPENS
WHEN YOU ARE EXTRICATING
YOURSELF FROM THIS WEB OF
DESIRE WHICH IS YOUR
EGO WHICH IS YOUR COGNITIVE



FRAMEWORK OF THE UNIVERSE
(IT'S ALL THE SAME THING)
AND THIS EXTRICATION
(BELIEVE ME) DOESN'T HAPPEN
WITHOUT AN INTERNAL STUGGLE
THIS IS CALLED TAPAS

TAPASIA

STRAIGHTENING BY FIRE

IF A MAN GIVES WAY TO ALL HIS DESIRES, OR PANDERS TO THEM, THERE WILL NO INNER STRUGGLE, IN HIM, NO 'FRICTION' NO FIRE. BUT IF, FOR THE SAKE OF ATTAINING A DEFINITE AIM, HE STRUGGLES WITH THE DESIRES THAT HINDER HIM - HE WILL THEN CREATE A FIRE WHICH WILL GRADUALLY TRANSFORM HIS INNER WORLD INTO A SINGLE WHOLE. — OUSPENSKY

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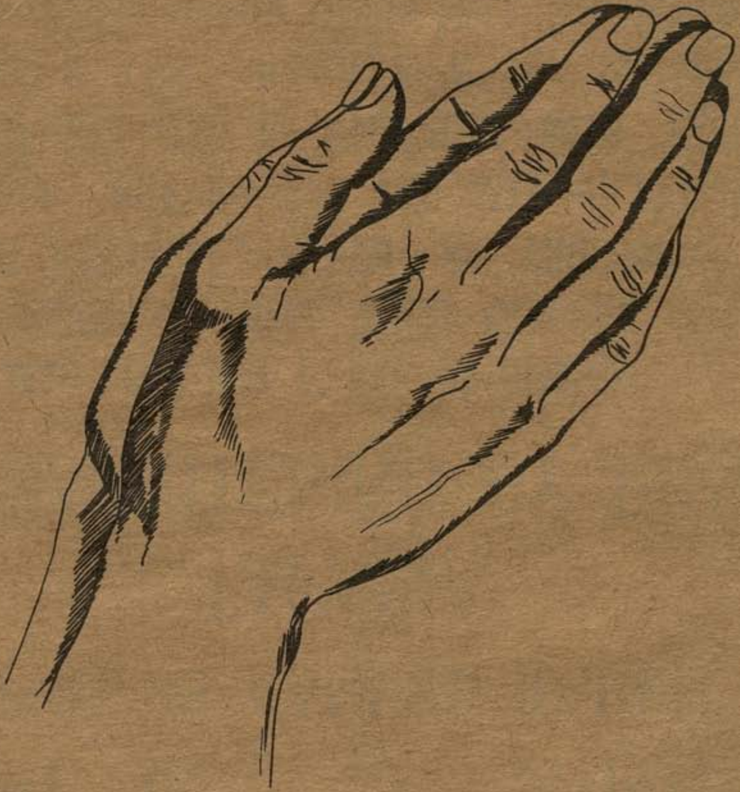
FAITH



HAD YE BUT FAITH, YOU COULD
MOVE MOUNTAINS, SAID JESUS

AND THAT IS LITERALLY TRUE
THE BIBLE IS NOT A METAPHOR
IT'S NOT A STORY MADE UP TO TEACH US
HOW TO BE MORAL BEINGS
IT'S A STRAIGHT MESSAGE OF HOW IT IS
WHEN MAN LIVES IN THE SPIRIT, AND
THE SPIRIT IS RIGHT INSIDE.
THE WAY TO GET INTO THE SPIRIT
IS NOT A LOT OF HOCUS-POCUS.
IT'S A VERY SIMPLE METHODICAL,
MECHANICAL SET OF STEPS
BUT THEY'RE ONLY AVAILABLE
TO HIM WHO CAN HEAR
LET THOSE WHO HAVE EARS HEAR
TEACH NOT HIM WHO DOES NOT WANT TO KNOW.
THE WHOLE GAME IS BASED
ON FAITH

WHAT YOU MAY NOT UNDERSTAND IS: THE WHOLE GAME YOU HAVE BEEN PLAYING IS ALSO BASED ON FAITH YOU HAVE HAD FAITH IN THE RATIONAL MIND WE ARE LIVING IN A SOCIETY WHICH IS A TEMPLE DEDICATED TO THE RATIONAL MAN. EVEN THOUGH THE FIRST COMMANDMENT SAYS:

I AM THE LORD THY GOD
THOU SHALT HAVE
NO OTHER GODS
BEFORE ME

EVEN THOUGH THAT HAS BEEN SAID
& EVEN THOUGH WE REPEAT IT
WE STILL WORSHIP THE RATIONAL MIND & ITS PRODUCTS
WE WORSHIP OUR OWN SENSE DATA.
IT'S ONLY WHEN WE SEE THE ASSUMPTIONS THAT

WE'VE ALREADY BEEN FUNCTIONING ON THAT
WE CAN START TO EXTRICATE OURSELVES.
WE HAVE GOT TO HAVE HEARD THE FIRST MESSAGE
BEFORE ANY OF THE KEYS OPEN ANYTHING.
YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW THERE ARE DOORS
UNTIL YOU HAVE HEARD THE FIRST MESSAGE.

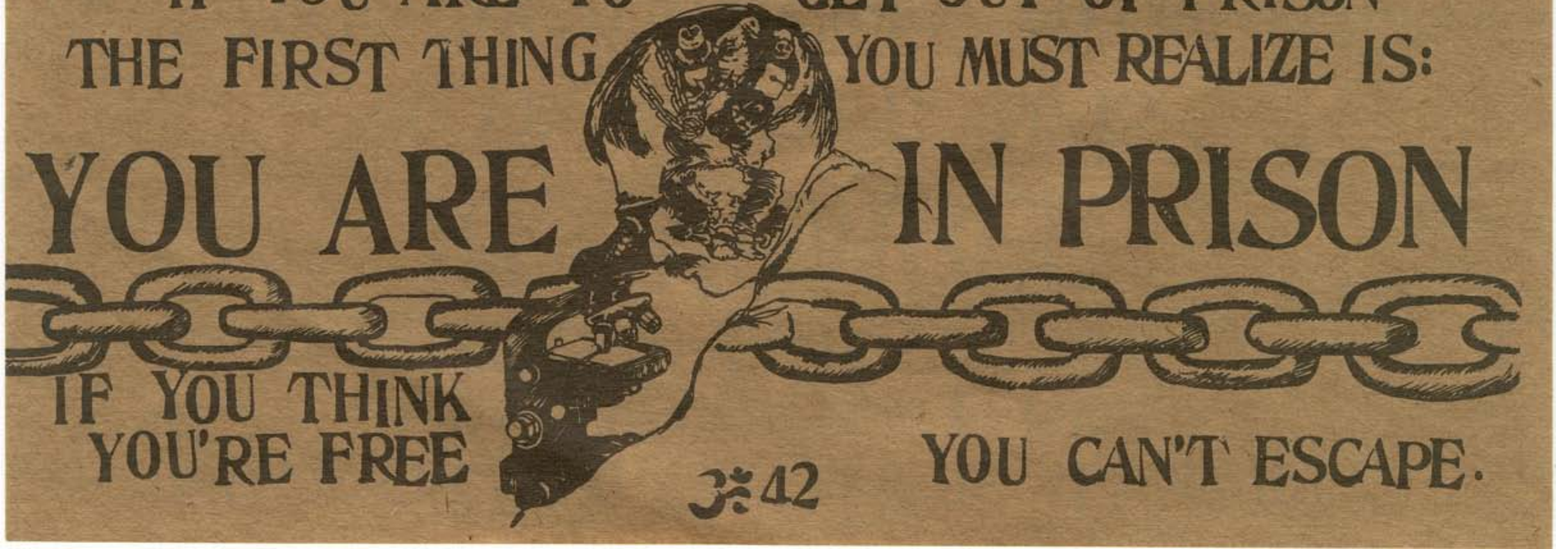
GEORGES I. GURDJIEFF,
A WESTERNER WHO WENT ON THIS HIGHER TRIP
OR AT LEAST ON A LARGE PART OF THE TRIP, SAID:

YOU DON'T SEEM TO UNDERSTAND

YOU ARE IN PRISON

IF YOU ARE TO GET OUT OF PRISON
THE FIRST THING YOU MUST REALIZE IS:

YOU ARE IN PRISON



IF YOU THINK
YOU'RE FREE
YOU CAN'T ESCAPE.

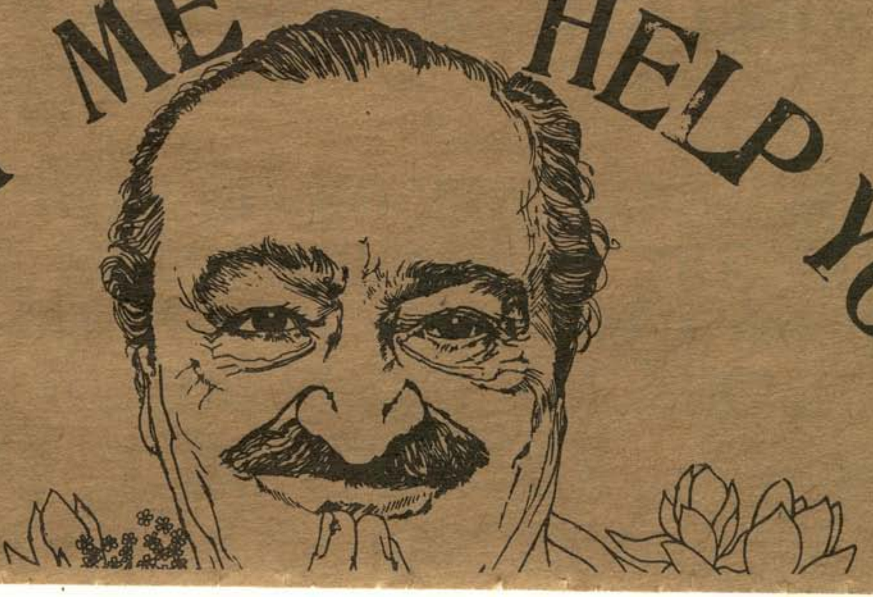
WHAT CALMING THE MIND IS ALL ABOUT
WHAT MEDITATION IS FOR
IS TO COOL YOU OUT SO YOU

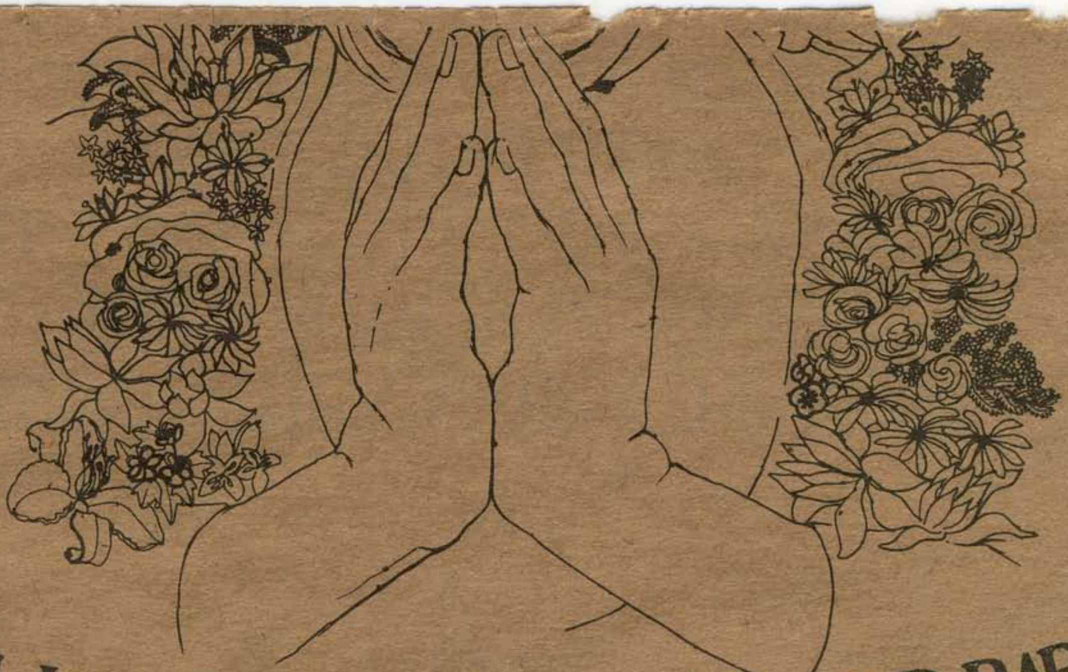
RE-MEMBER

SO YOU SEE HOW IT ALL IS

TRY SITTING AROUND WHEN YOU'RE FULL OF SELF-PITY
YOU SIT DOWN IN FRONT OF YOUR PUJA TABLE
AND YOU TAKE A PICTURE OF MEHER BABA
AND HE'S SMILING AT YOU LIKE HE'S
THE OTHER MARX BROTHER AND HE'S SAYING:

LET ME HELP YOU





OH, I WISH YOU WOULD, MEHER BABA
IT'S SO HARD

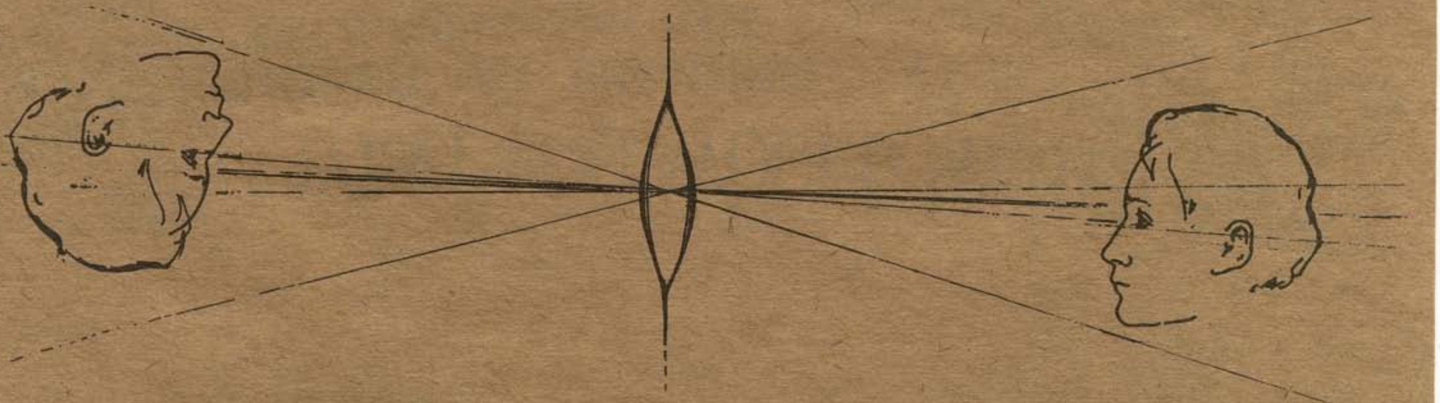
(WOW! DIG THAT SELF-PITY ISN'T THAT EXQUISITE
FULL BLOOM! WHAT AN EXTRAORDINARY COLOR IT MUST BE A NEW BRAND OF SELF-PITY
A PARTICULARLY FRAGRANT VARIETY I JUST REALLY WANT TO SMELL THAT ONE
TO SIT AND SMELL IT FOR EVER SO LONG. SUCH A GOOD ONE.)

I MEAN: I WISH I COULD HAVE TIME TO GROOVE W/
YOU BUT I'VE GOT TO GET ON W/ LIFE.
I HAVE IMPORTANT THINGS TO DO TODAY.

ALL RIGHT BABA!
I'LL SIT WITH YOU FOR ONE MINUTE. OKAY?
HERE WE ARE. YOU'VE GOT ONE MINUTE.
DO YOUR THING. FORTY SECONDS LEFT!

SADHANA

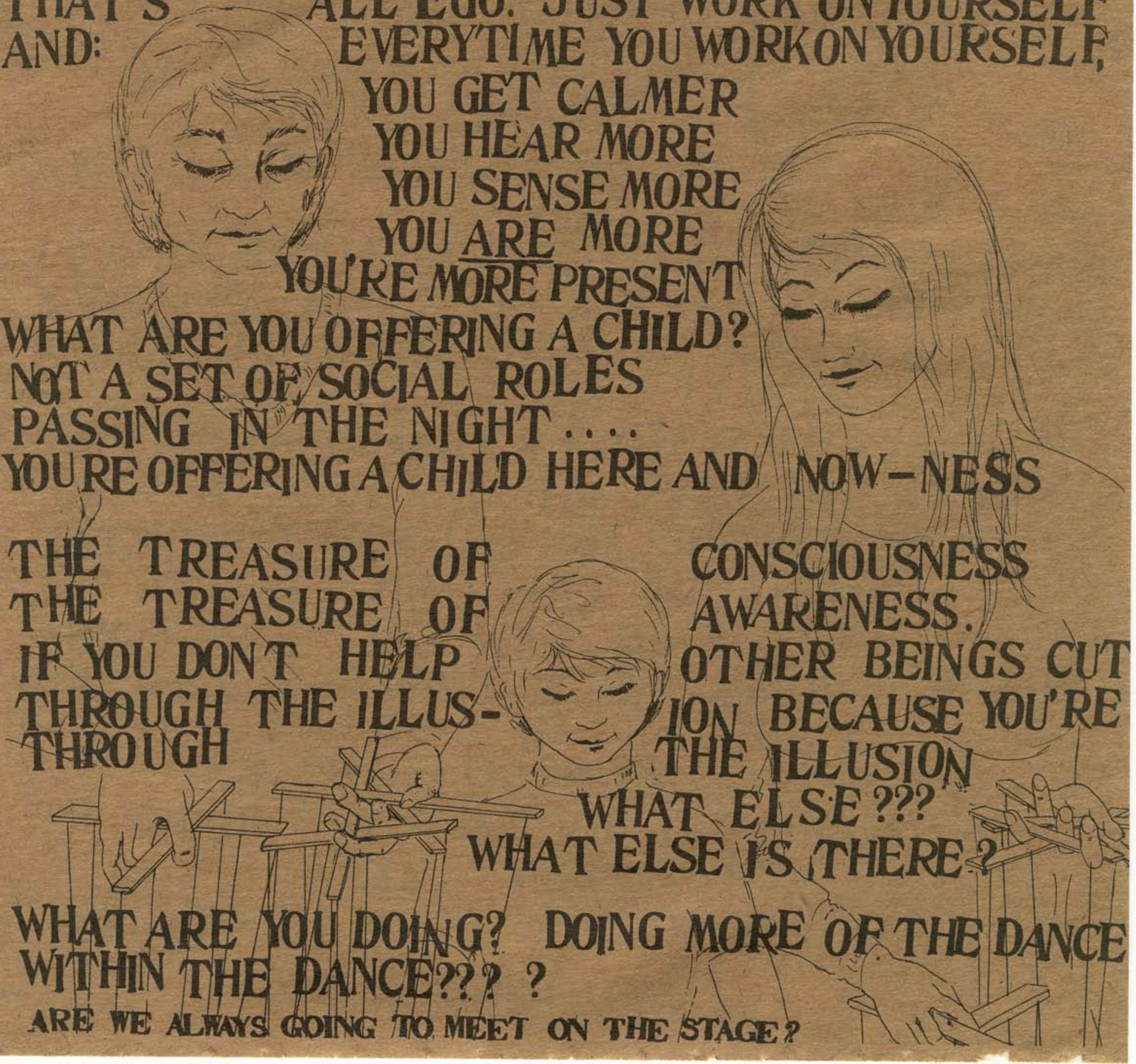
YOUVE GOT TO BE QUIET INSIDE TO DO
THAT KIND OF PHOTOGRAPHY
IT'S VERY EASY TO "PHOTOGRAPH"
'INANIMATE OBJECTS'-LIKE OTHER PEOPLE
BUT: TURN THE LENS RIGHT IN ON
THE VERY STUFF YOURE HIDING IN~



SHOOT THE CAMERA THIS WAY!
VERY POWERFUL STUFF!
SO ALL I CAN DO ALL THE TIME IS TO
COOL MYSELF OUT...
THAT'S ALL I'M DOING - I DO NOTHING BUT

SADHANA

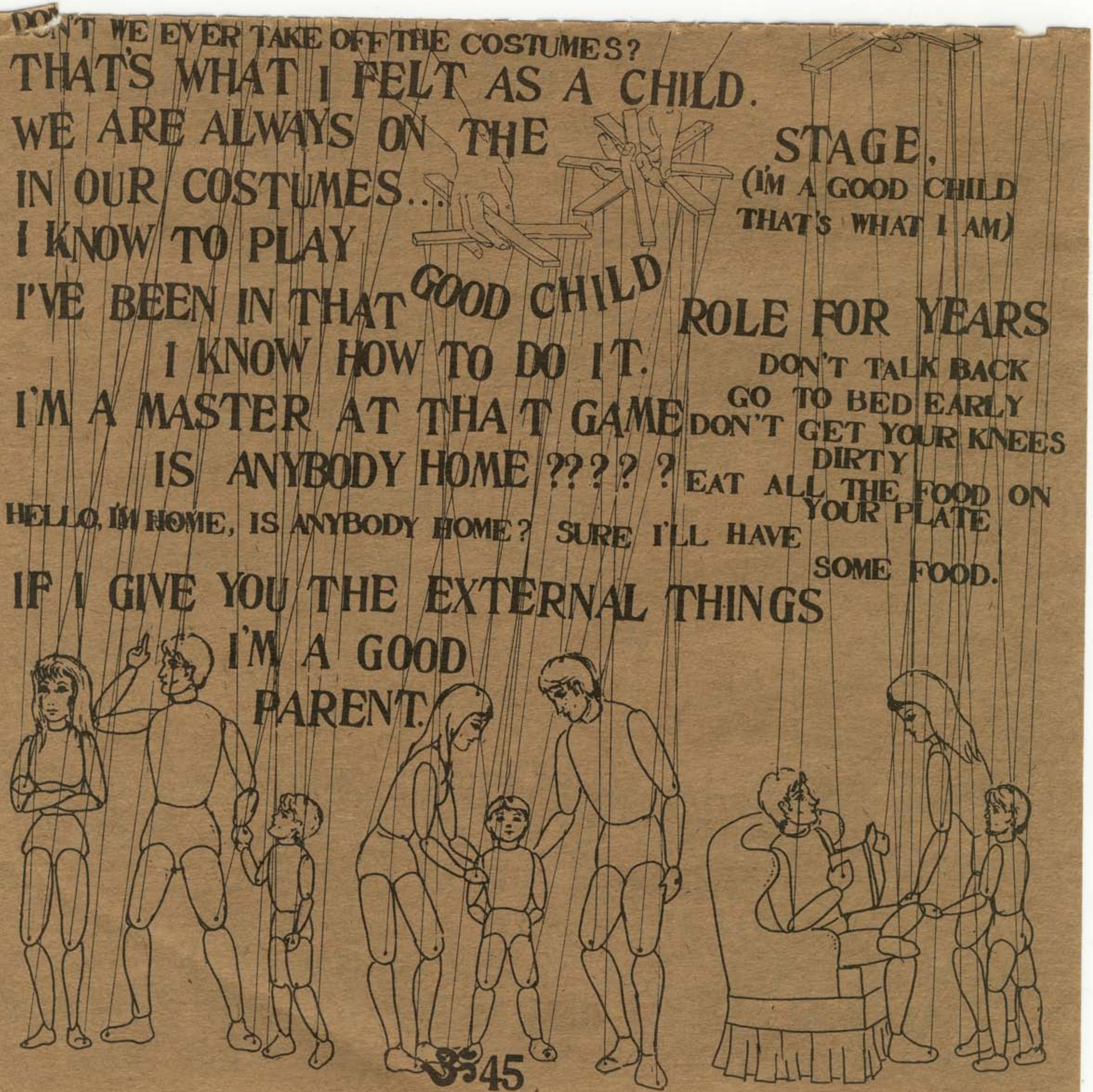
IF SOMEBODY SAYS: WHAT DO YOU DO, MAN?
I SAY : I DO SADHANA
SURE, BUT DON'T YOU LECTURE?
SURE, LECTURING HAPPENS BUT
I'M DOING MY SADHANA
THIS TRIP IS HELPING ME GET FREE OF MY EGO.
BECAUSE: IF I GET FREE OF MY EGO
WE ALL GET FREE OF OUR EGO
BECAUSE: THAT'S THE WAY THE TRIP WORKS
BECAUSE: WE'RE ALL THE SAME BEING AND
THAT'S THE PROBLEM – WE CAN ONLY MOVE AS
FAST AS WE ALL CAN MOVE...
YOU CAN HEAR THIS MESSAGE ONLY AS PURELY AS
I AM PURE. THAT'S THE WAY IT BOILS DOWN ~
I CAN RESONATE WITH YOU IN THE HIGHEST PLACE
I AM
SO: I CAN DO NOTHING FOR YOU BUT
WORK ON MYSELF.....
YOU CAN DO NOTHING FOR ME BUT
WORK ON YOURSELF!



OH! I'M GOING TO DO GOOD THINGS FOR MY CHILD. BALONY!
THAT'S ALL EGO. JUST WORK ON YOURSELF
AND: EVERYTIME YOU WORK ON YOURSELF,
YOU GET CALMER
YOU HEAR MORE
YOU SENSE MORE
YOU ARE MORE
YOU'RE MORE PRESENT
WHAT ARE YOU OFFERING A CHILD?
NOT A SET OF SOCIAL ROLES
PASSING IN THE NIGHT....
YOU RE OFFERING A CHILD HERE AND NOW-NESS

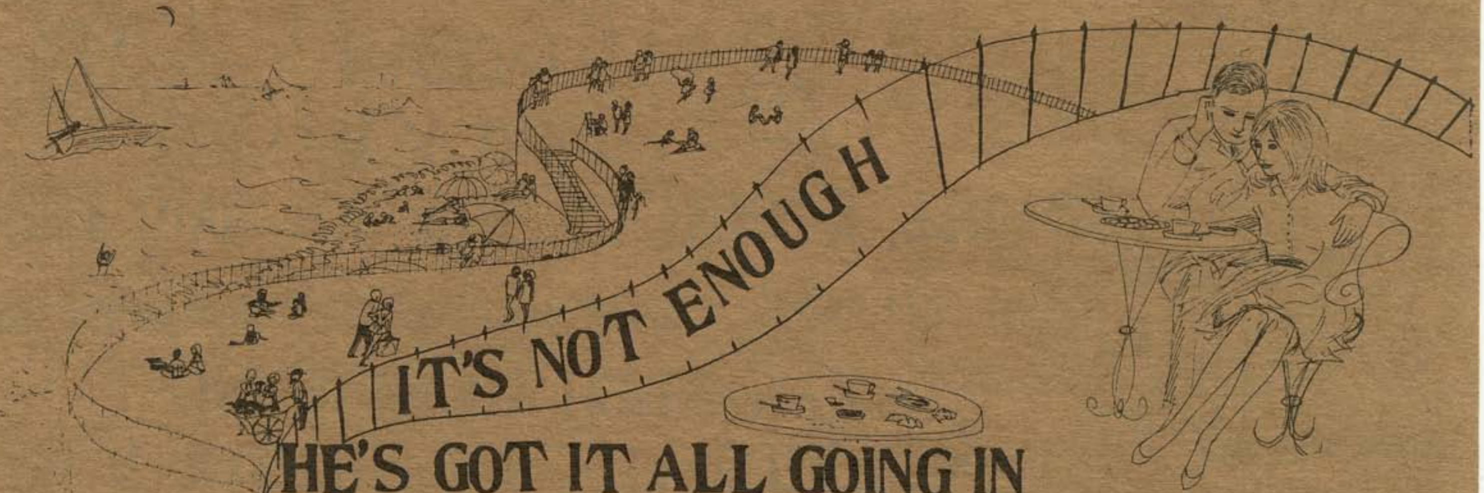
THE TREASURE OF CONSCIOUSNESS
THE TREASURE OF AWARENESS.
IF YOU DONT HELP OTHER BEINGS CUT
THROUGH THE ILLUSION BECAUSE YOU'RE
THROUGH THE ILLUSION
WHAT ELSE???
WHAT ELSE IS THERE?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING? DOING MORE OF THE DANCE
WITHIN THE DANCE??? ?
ARE WE ALWAYS GOING TO MEET ON THE STAGE?



DON'T WE EVER TAKE OFF THE COSTUMES?
THAT'S WHAT I FELT AS A CHILD.
WE ARE ALWAYS ON THE STAGE,
IN OUR COSTUMES...
(I'M A GOOD CHILD
THAT'S WHAT I AM)
I KNOW TO PLAY
I'VE BEEN IN THAT GOOD CHILD ROLE FOR YEARS
I KNOW HOW TO DO IT.
DON'T TALK BACK
GO TO BED EARLY
I'M A MASTER AT THAT GAME
DON'T GET YOUR KNEES DIRTY
IS ANYBODY HOME?????
EAT ALL THE FOOD ON YOUR PLATE
HELLO, I'M HOME, IS ANYBODY HOME? SURE I'LL HAVE SOME FOOD.
IF I GIVE YOU THE EXTERNAL THINGS
I'M A GOOD
PARENT.

YOU AND I CAN ALWAYS STARVE TOGETHER
IF WE'RE BACKSTAGE IN THE HERE & NOW
IF WE'RE NOT IN THE HERE & NOW
NO MATTER HOW MUCH FOOD
WE PUT IN OUR BELLIES
IT'S NEVER GOING TO BE ENOUGH
AND THAT'S THE FEELING OF WESTERN MAN



HE'S GOT IT ALL GOING IN
AS FAST AS HE CAN SHOVEL IT
HE'S GOT EVERY SENSUAL GRATIFICATION
HE CAN POSSIBLY DESIRE &

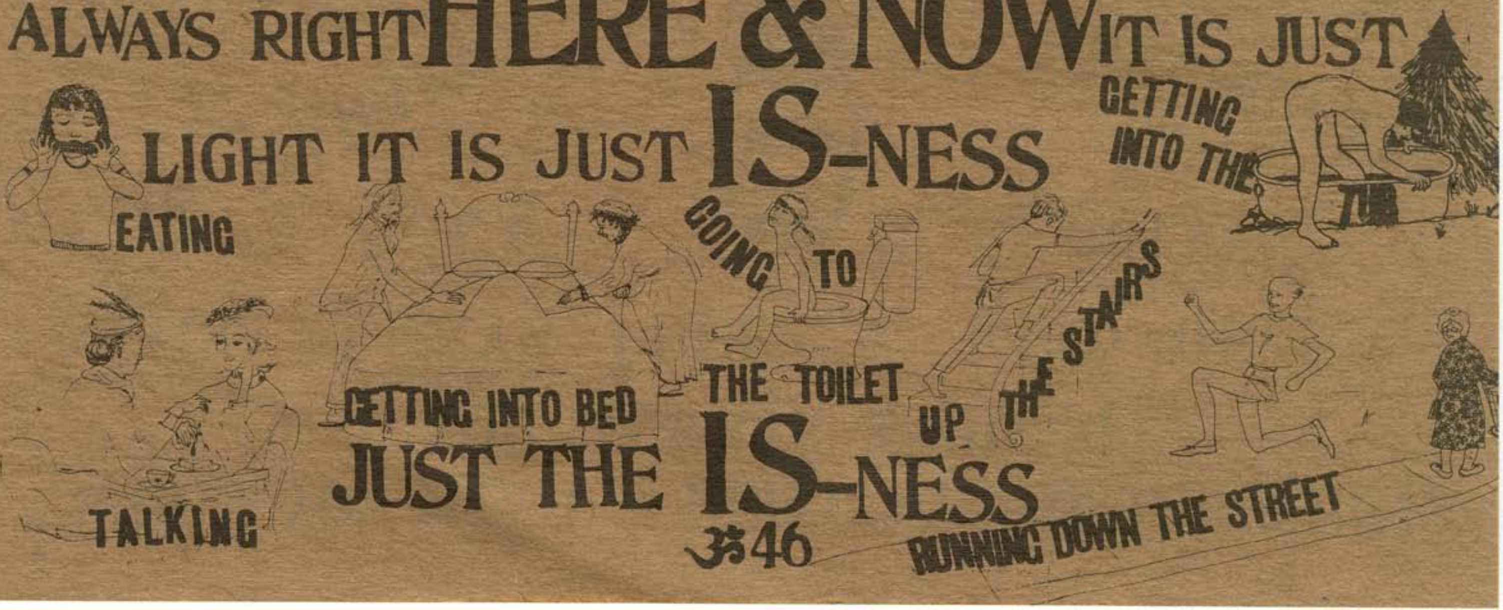
IT'S NOT ENOUGH

BECAUSE THERE'S NO
HERE & NOW-NESS ABOUT IT

HERE & NOW
IS THE DOORWAY TO ALL THAT
ENERGY
BECAUSE IF YOU'RE TRUTHFULLY HERE & NOW
THERE'S NO MORE YOU THAT'S THE WAY IT WORKS

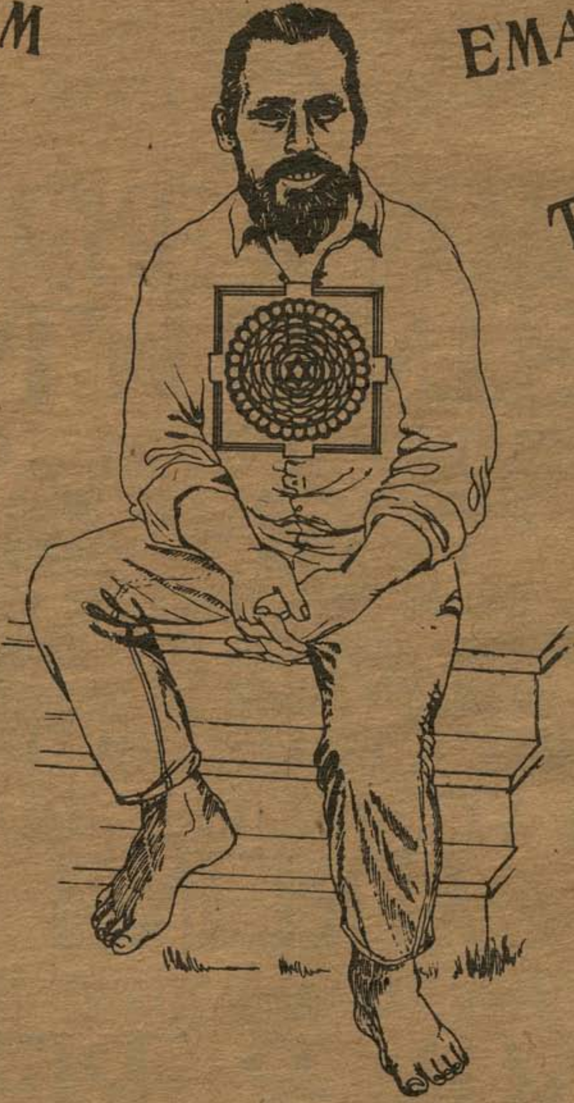
DID YOU EVER GO THE MOVIES AND GET SO CAUGHT UP
IN THE MOVIE THAT YOU FORGOT WHO YOU WERE
AND THEN THE LIGHTS CAME ON AND
YOU WONDERED..........WHERE AM I ?
WHAT'S GOING ON ? OH IT'S A MOVIE.

WHAT YOU'VE GOT TO DO IS CREATE IN YOURSELF
AN ABSOLUTELY **CALM CENTER** WHERE IT'S
ALWAYS RIGHT **HERE & NOW** IT IS JUST
LIGHT IT IS JUST **IS**-NESS


GETTING INTO THE TUB
EATING
GOING TO THE TOILET
UP THE STAIRS
GETTING INTO BED
TALKING
RUNNING DOWN THE STREET

JUST THE **IS**-NESS

WHEN YOU MEET A BEING WHO IS CENTERED
YOU ALWAYS KNOW IT
YOU ALWAYS FEEL A KIND OF
CALM
EMANATION
IT ALWAYS
TOUCHES YOU
IN THAT
PLACE
WHERE
YOU
FEEL
CALM



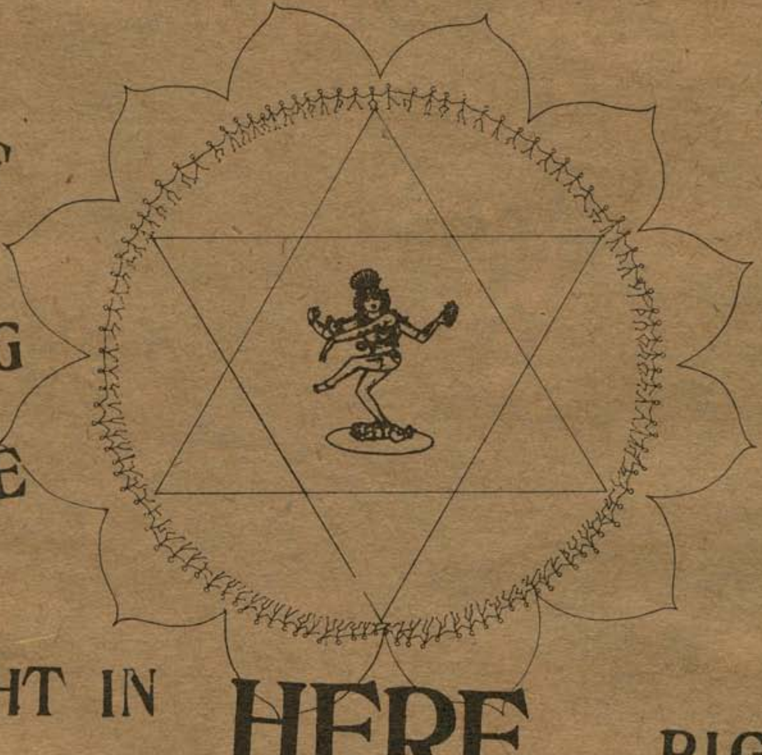
BUT: YOU CAN'T HUSTLE IT
YOU CAN'T MAKE-BELIEVE YOU'RE CALM
WHEN YOU'RE NOT.

IT NEVER WORKS
EVERYBODY KNOWS
YOU KNOW
IT'S HORRIBLE

YOU **MUST** CENTER

FIND
THAT PLACE

INSIDE
YOURSELF

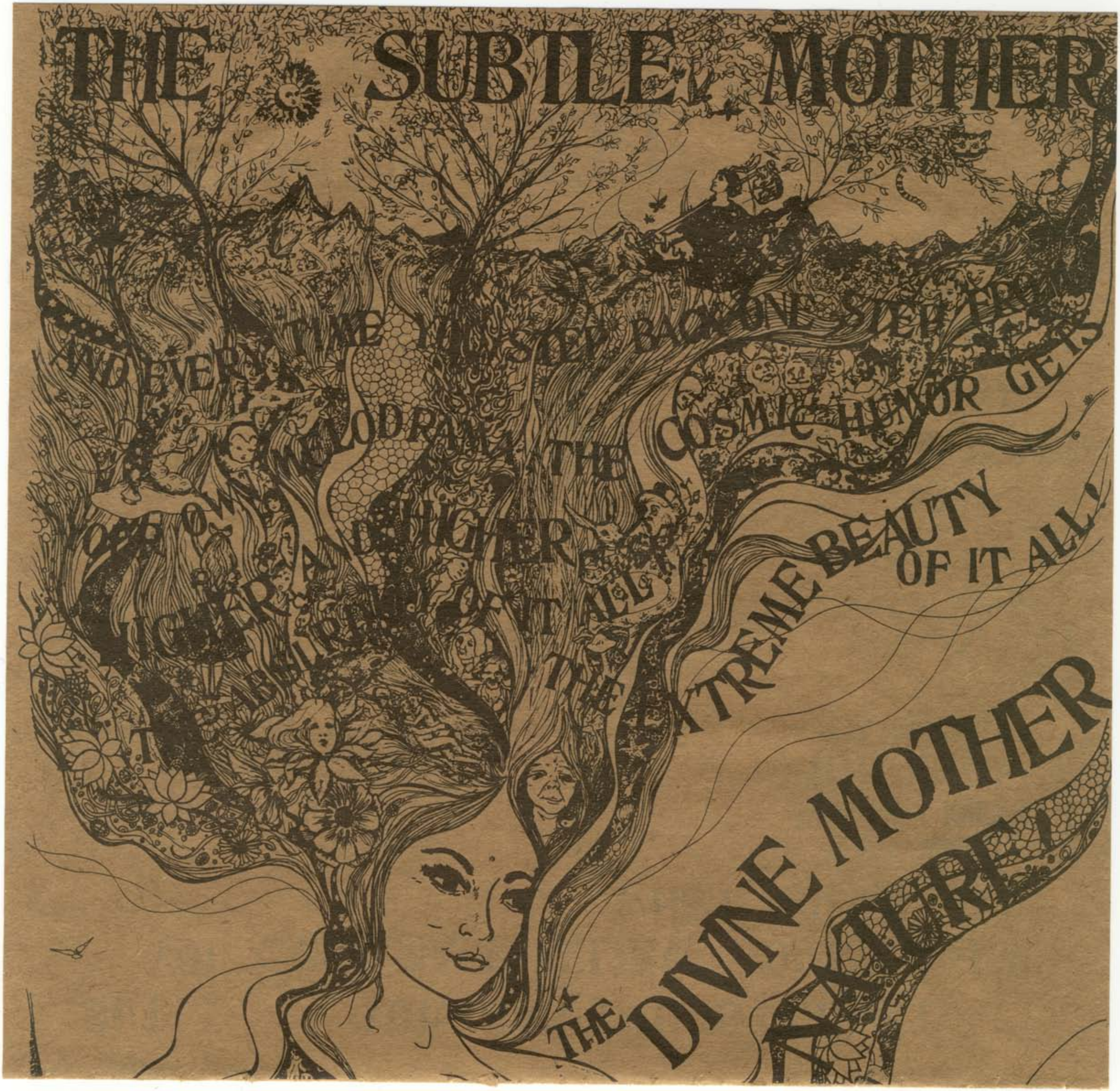


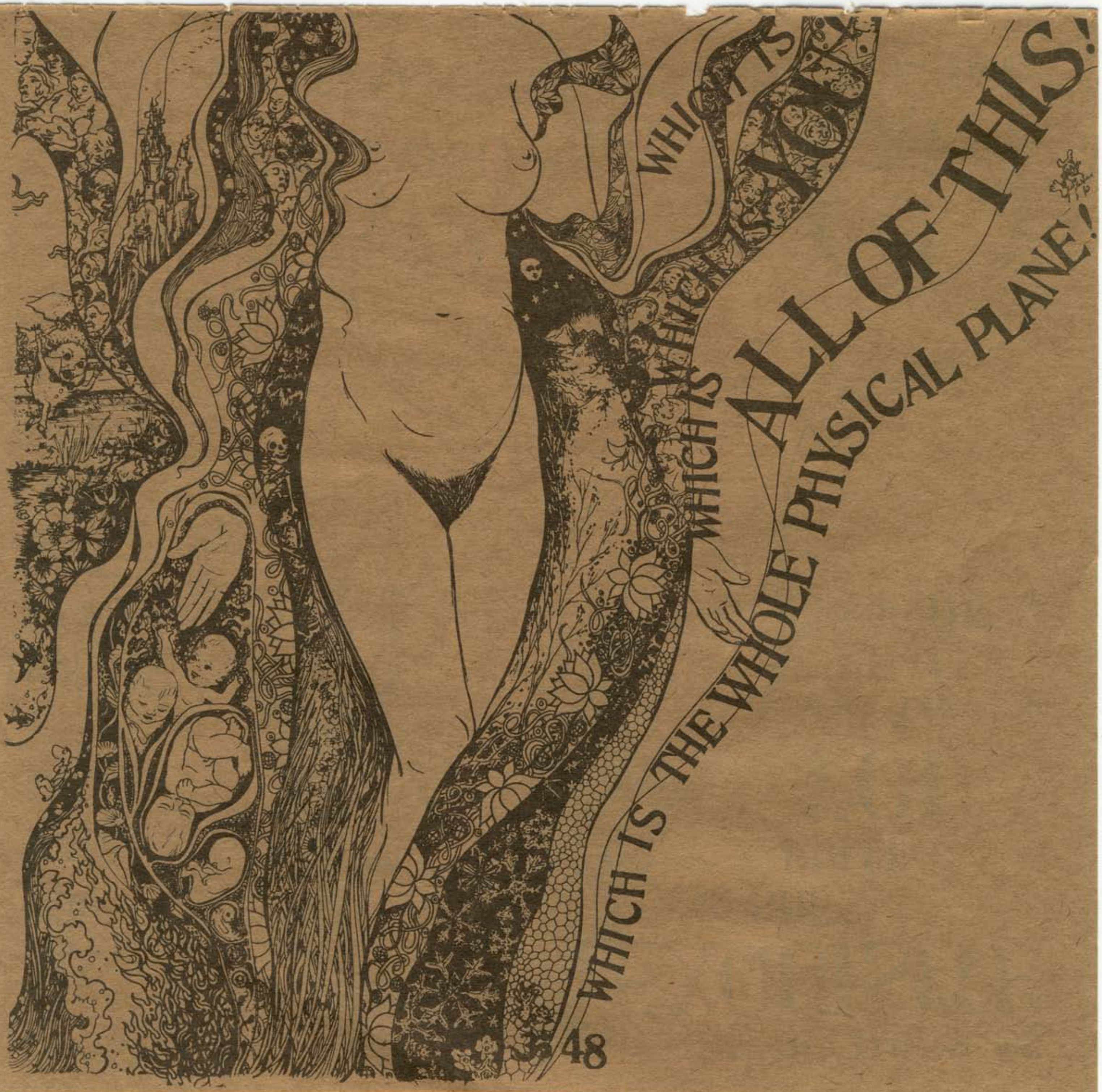
YOU'RE DOING
IT FROM
THAT PLACE

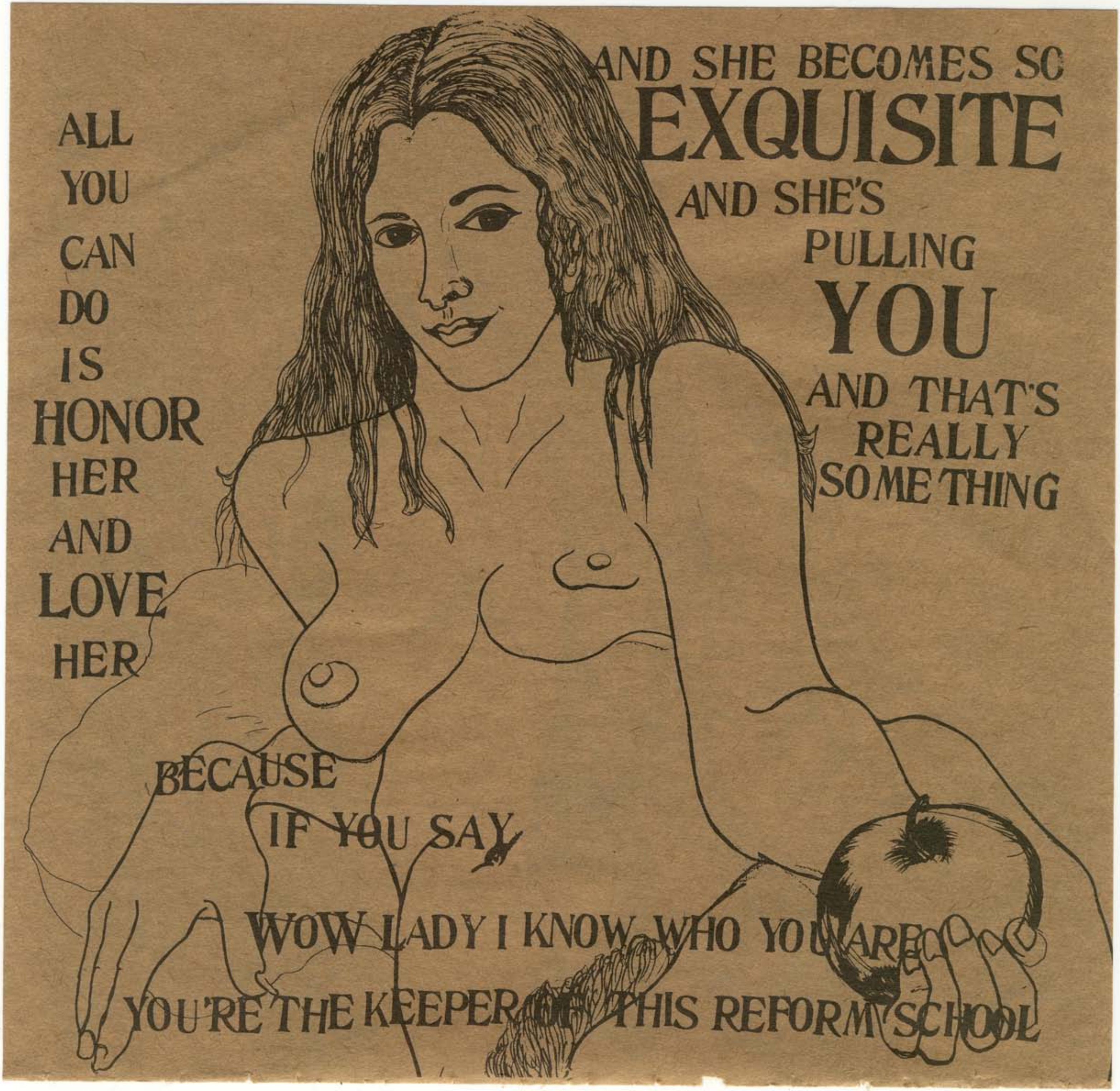
AND:
WHATEVER
YOUR
DANCE
IS

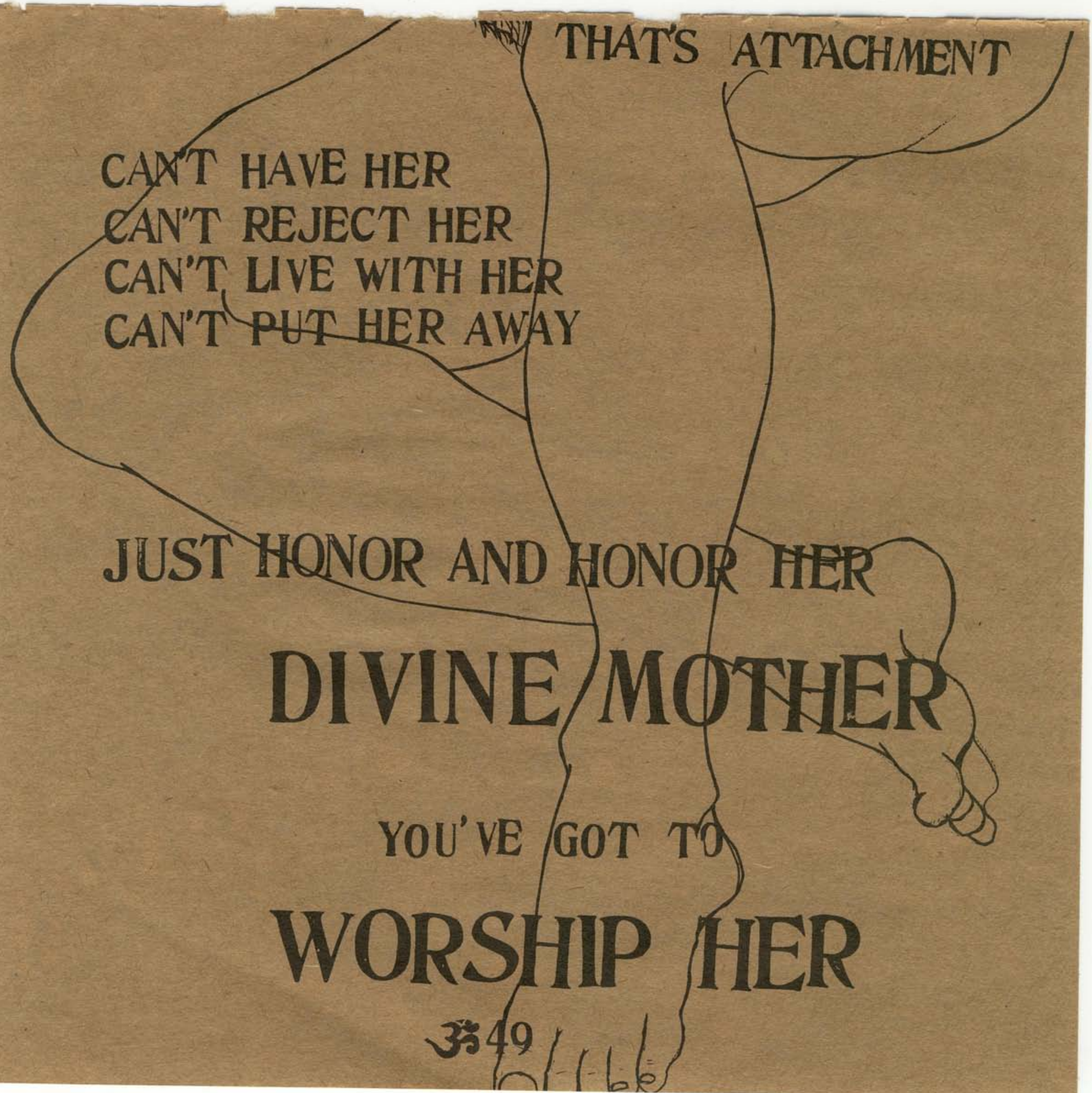
ALWAYS RIGHT IN **HERE**

RIGHT IN
YOUR HRIDAYAM


THE SUBTLE MOTHER
AND EVERY TIME YOU STEP BACK ONE STEP FROM
YOUR OWN MELODRAMA THE COSMIC HUMOR GETS
HIGHER AND HIGHER
THE ABSURDITY OF IT ALL!
THE EXTREME BEAUTY
OF IT ALL!
THE DIVINE MOTHER
NATURE!


WHICH IS
WHICH IS
WHICH IS YOU!
WHICH IS ALL OF THIS!
WHICH IS THE WHOLE PHYSICAL PLANE!


AND SHE BECOMES SO
EXQUISITE
AND SHE'S
PULLING
YOU
AND THAT'S
REALLY
SOMETHING
ALL
YOU
CAN
DO
IS
HONOR
HER
AND
LOVE
HER
BECAUSE
IF YOU SAY
WOW LADY I KNOW WHO YOU ARE
YOU'RE THE KEEPER OF THIS REFORM SCHOOL



THAT'S ATTACHMENT

CAN'T HAVE HER
CAN'T REJECT HER
CAN'T LIVE WITH HER
CAN'T PUT HER AWAY

JUST HONOR AND HONOR HER

DIVINE MOTHER

YOU'VE GOT TO

WORSHIP HER

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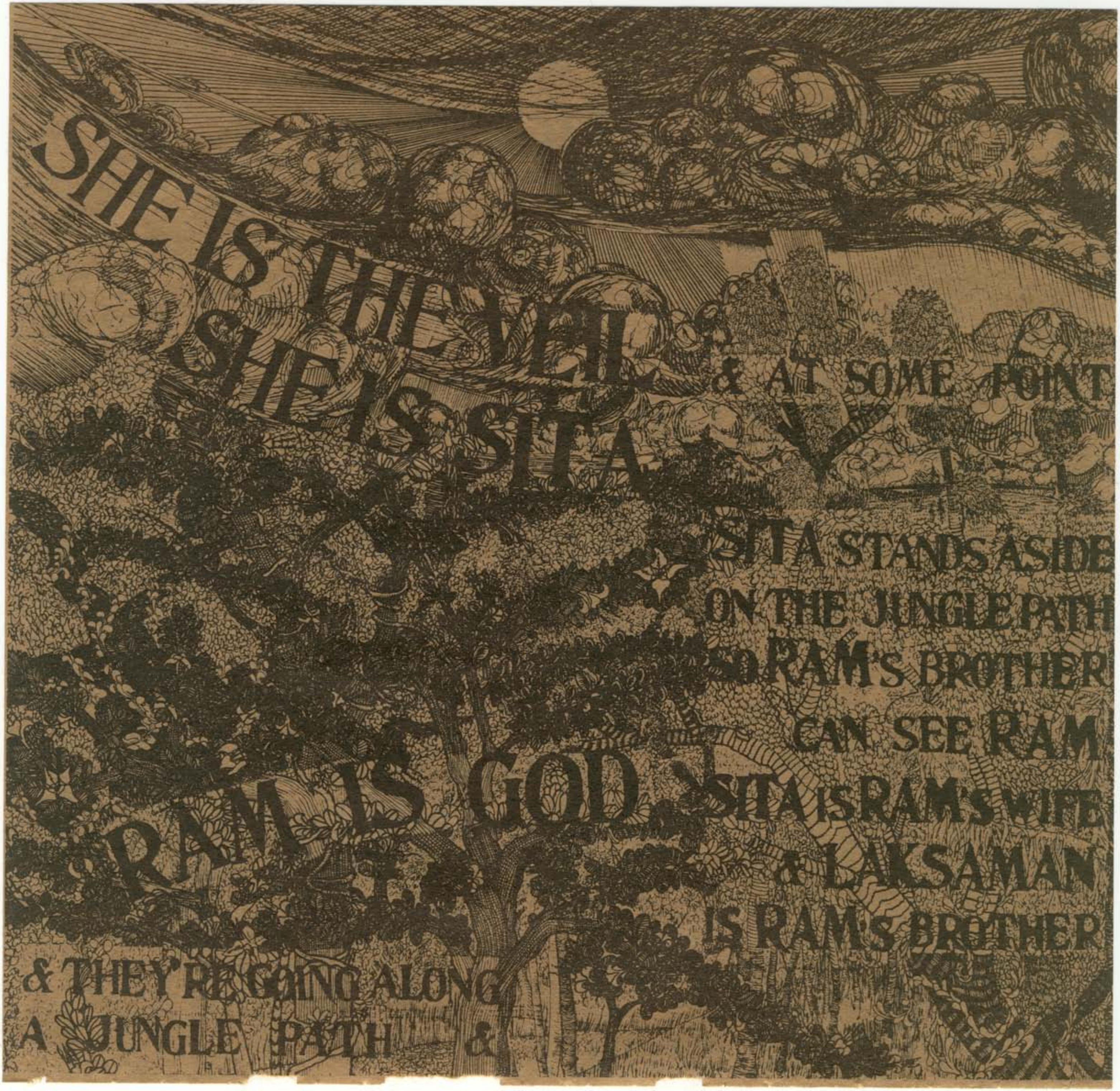


RAM IS GOD

SITA IS RAM'S WIFE
& LAKSAMAN
IS RAM'S BROTHER

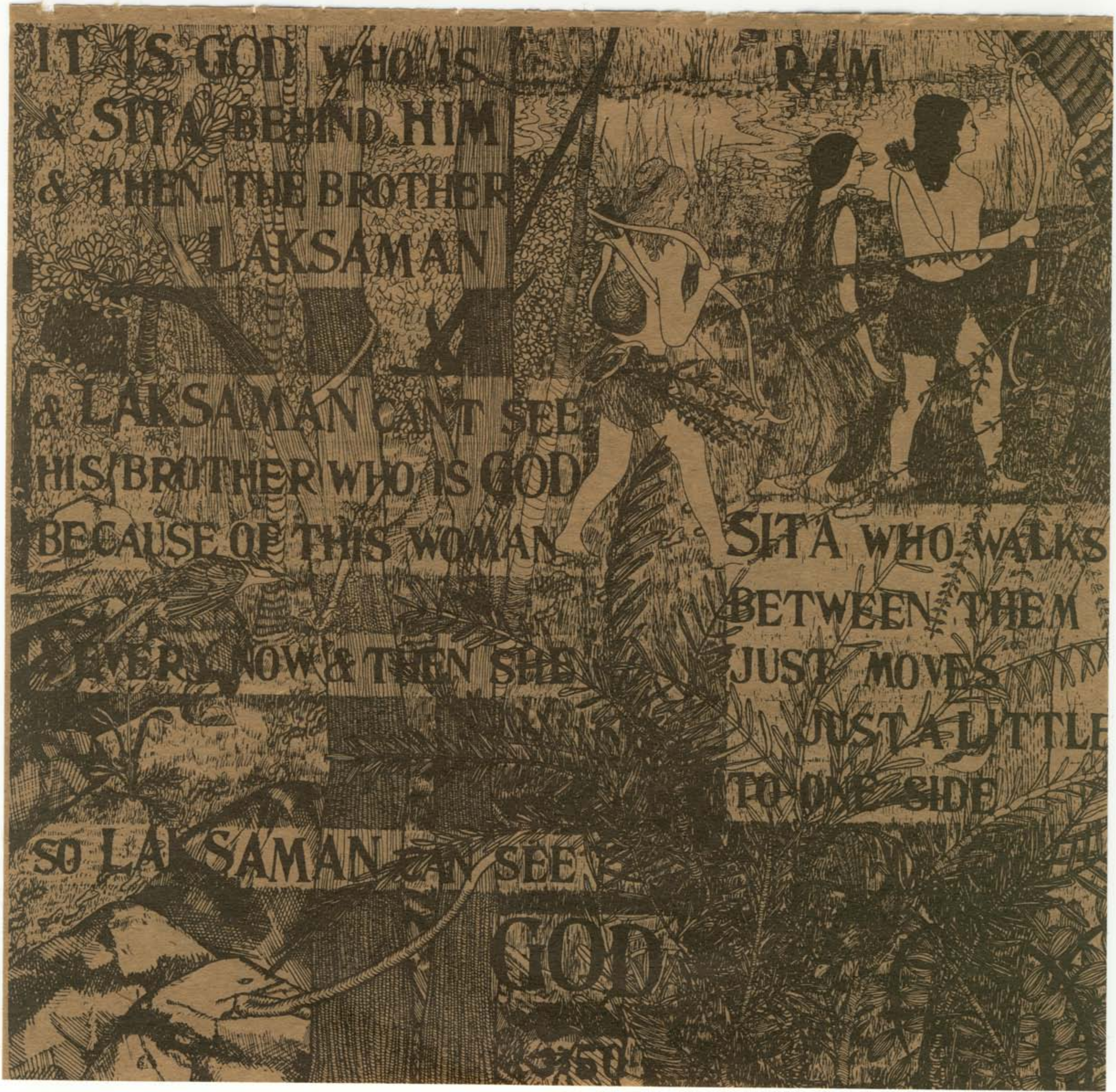
& THEY'RE GOING ALONG
A JUNGLE PATH &

& AT SOME POINT

SITA STANDS ASIDE
ON THE JUNGLE PATH
SO RAM'S BROTHER
CAN SEE RAM

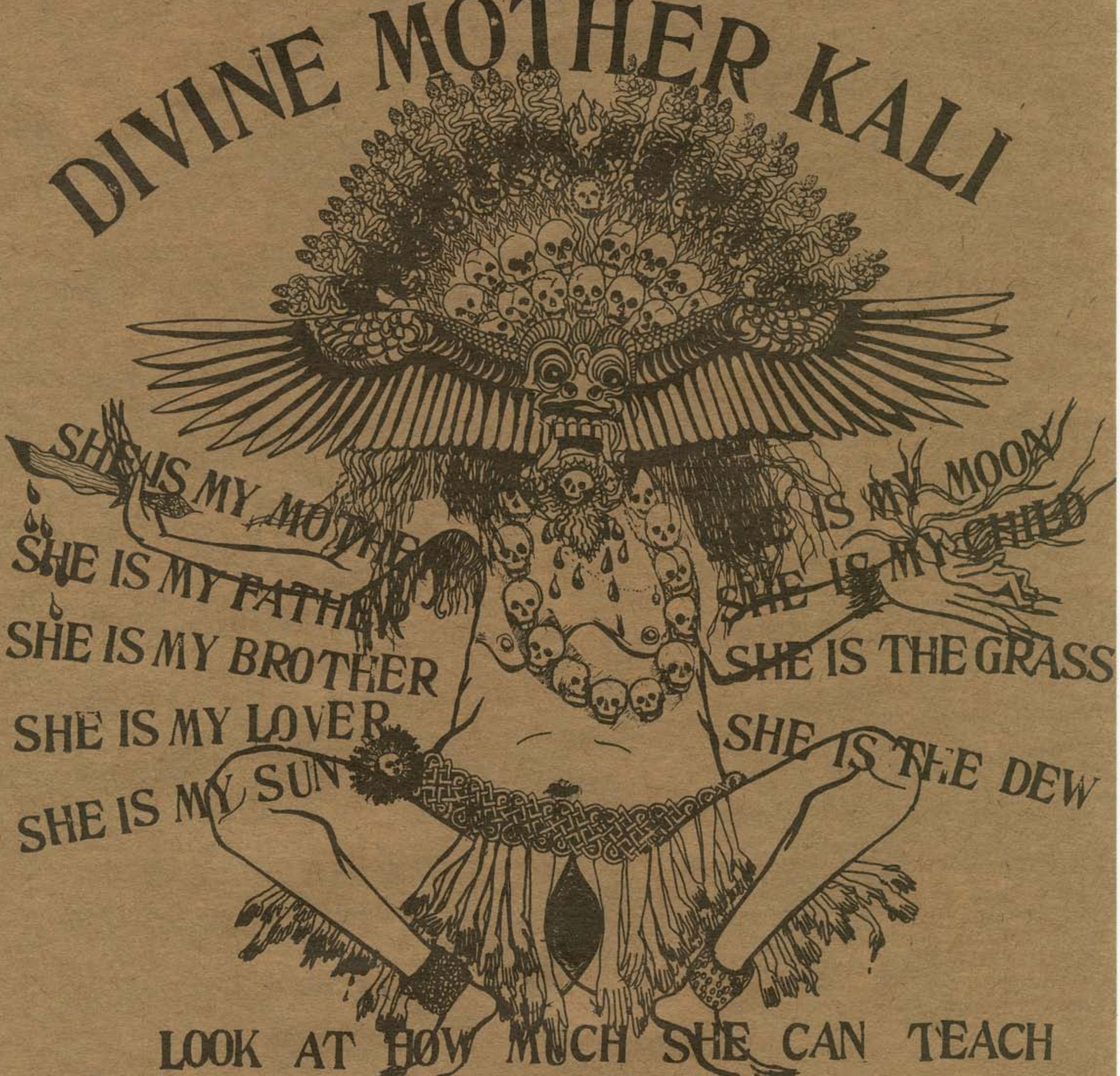
SHE IS SITA

SHE IS THE VEIL



IT IS GOD WHO IS RAM
& SITA BEHIND HIM
& THEN THE BROTHER
LAKSAMAN

& LAKSAMAN CANT SEE
HIS BROTHER WHO IS GOD
BECAUSE OF THIS WOMAN
SITA WHO WALKS
BETWEEN THEM
EVERY NOW & THEN SHE
JUST MOVES
JUST A LITTLE
TO ONE SIDE
SO LAKSAMAN CAN SEE
GOD


DIVINE MOTHER KALI
SHE IS MY MOTHER
SHE IS MY FATHER
SHE IS MY BROTHER
SHE IS MY LOVER
SHE IS MY SUN
SHE IS MY MOON
SHE IS MY CHILD
SHE IS THE GRASS
SHE IS THE DEW
LOOK AT HOW MUCH SHE CAN TEACH

HER TONGUE DRIPPING BLOOD
A CIRCLE OF SKULLS AROUND HER NECK
A DAGGER IN ONE HAND
GIVING BIRTH IN THE OTHER
THE WHOLE PROCESS OF NATURE

HOW EXQUISITELY SUBTLE

REMEMBER *SIDDHARTHA*

HIS JOURNEY, AND THE AMOUNT OF TIME HE SPENT IN THE GARDEN OF PLEASURE WITH A WOMAN WHO HAD MUCH TO TEACH? SHE ALWAYS HAD A NEW THING TO TEACH -- SHE WILL ALWAYS HAVE A NEW THING TO TEACH -- ALWAYS

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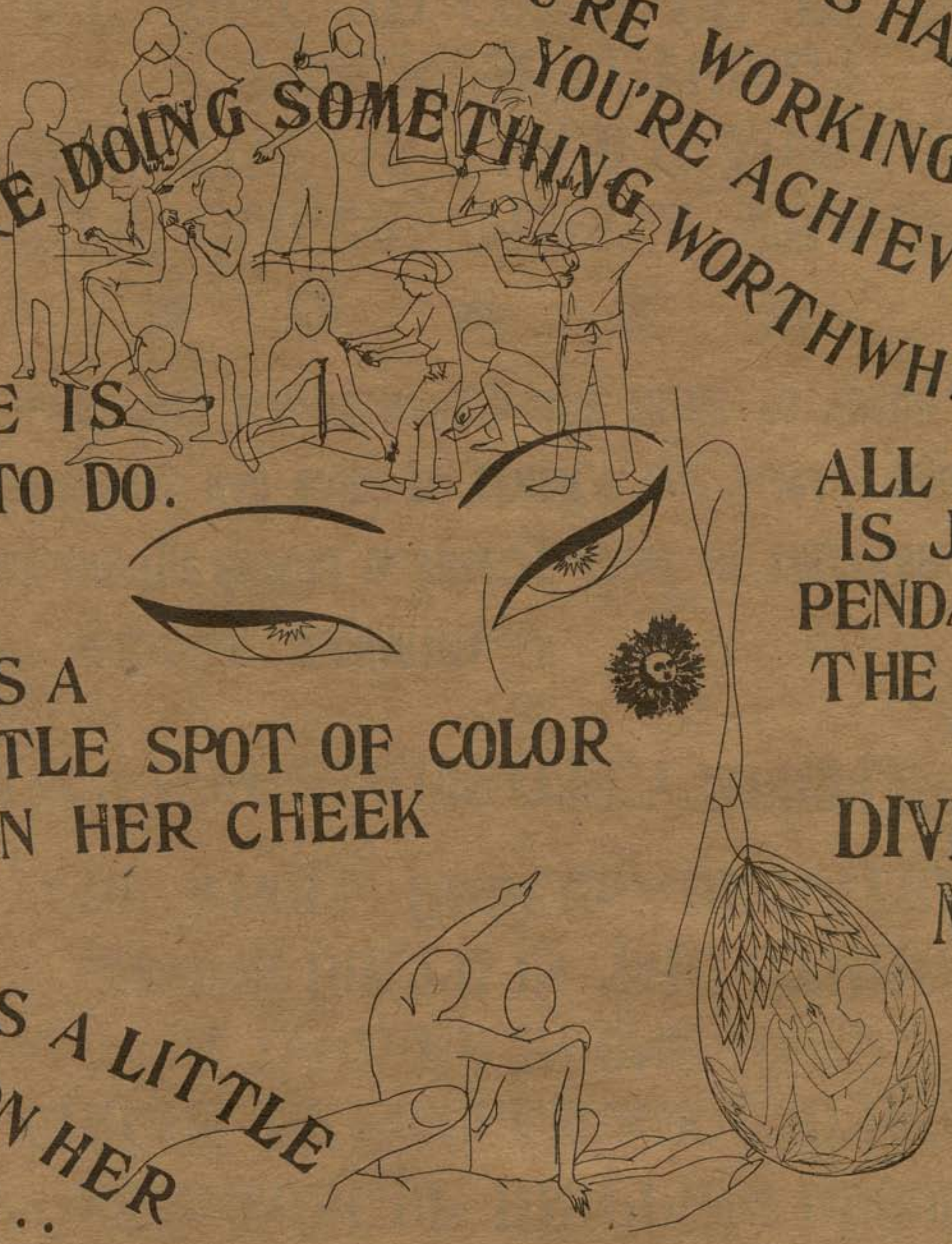
CAN ANYONE IMAGINE THAT A WOMAN AS FULL
AND SEDUCTIVE AS THAT IS NOT GOING TO
TEACH SOMETHING?
IS NOT GOING TO CONTINUE TO TEACH
SOMETHING?

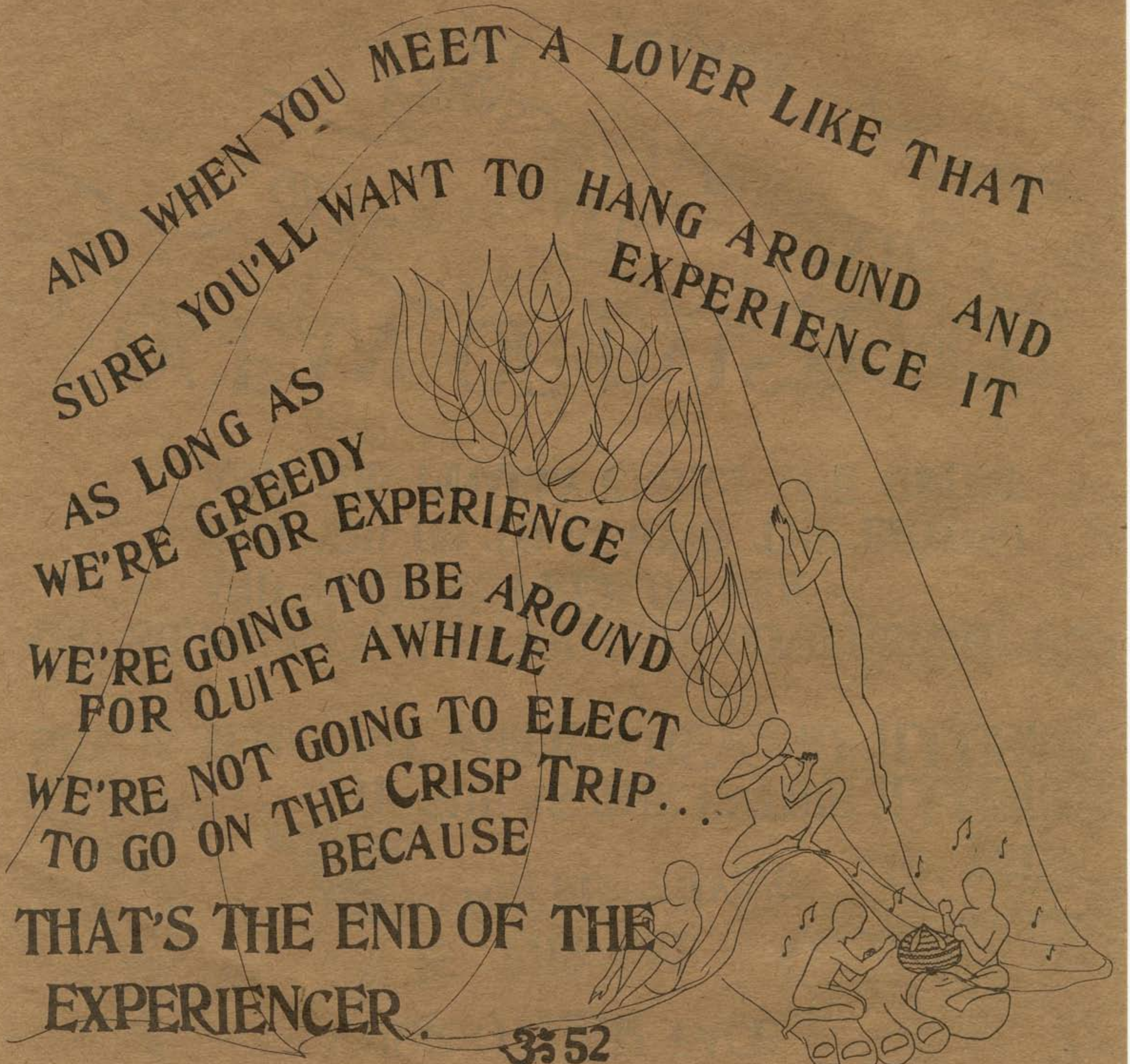
IF YOU THINK THAT SOMETHING'S HAPPENING
LIKE:
YOU'RE WORKING...
YOU'RE ACHIEVING...
YOU'RE DOING SOMETHING WORTHWHILE...
THERE IS
MUCH TO DO.



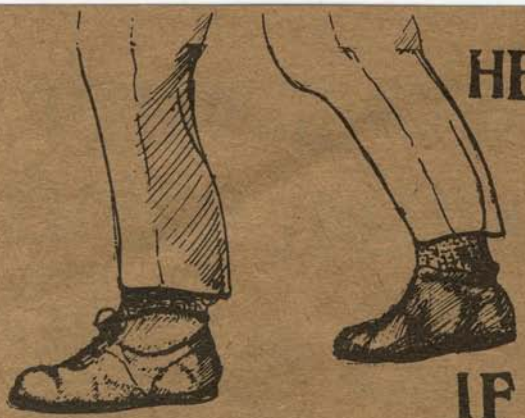
ALL OF THAT
IS JUST THE
PENDANT IN
THE EAR OF
THE
DIVINE
MOTHER

OR IT'S A
LITTLE SPOT OF COLOR
ON HER CHEEK

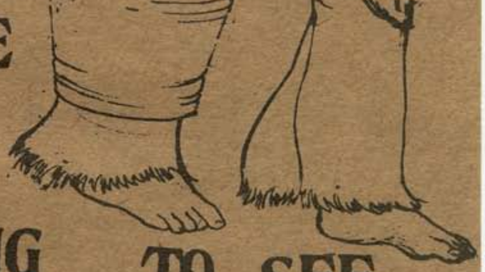
OR IT'S A LITTLE
BELL ON HER
TOE...



AND WHEN YOU MEET A LOVER LIKE THAT
SURE YOU'LL WANT TO HANG AROUND AND
EXPERIENCE IT
AS LONG AS
WE'RE GREEDY
FOR EXPERIENCE
WE'RE GOING TO BE AROUND
FOR QUITE AWHILE
WE'RE NOT GOING TO ELECT
TO GO ON THE CRISP TRIP...
BECAUSE
THAT'S THE END OF THE
EXPERIENCER.



HER OTHER FACE
IS THE ONE
YOU'RE TRYING TO SEE



IF SHE IS THE ENTIRE ILLUSION
SHE IS ALSO THAT WHICH IS BEYOND ILLUSION

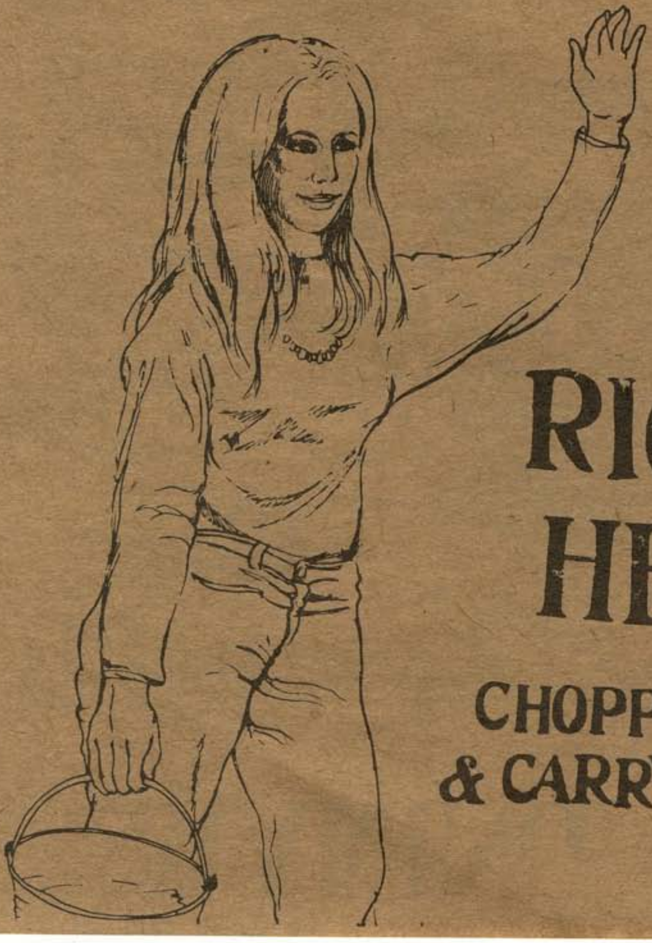
AND SO, FINALLY, WHEN YOU HAVE GONE BEYOND HER
AND BECOME FREE OF HER
AND YOU GO TO BEYOND THE BEYOND
AND YOU FINALLY CROSS THE GREAT

OCEAN OF EXISTENCE

GATE GATE PARAGATE
PARASAMGATE
BODHI SWAHA

AND YOU STAND ON THE OTHER SIDE
AND YOU'RE COMPLETELY **FREE**
WHO'S THERE? **THE DIVINE MOTHER**
WELCOMING YOU.

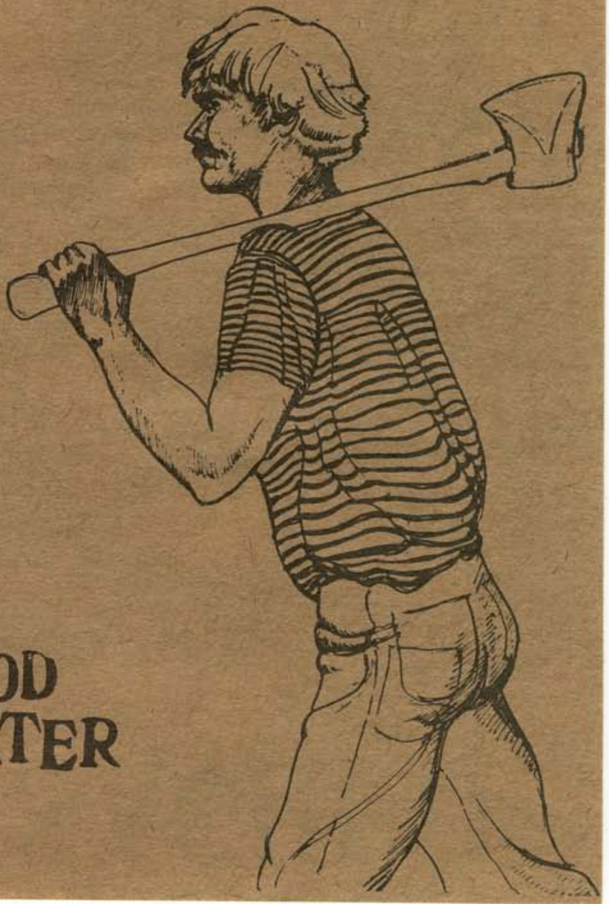
THAT'S THE BODHISATTVA PART OF IT:
YOU HAVE GONE & YOU HAVE GOTTEN THE LIBERATION



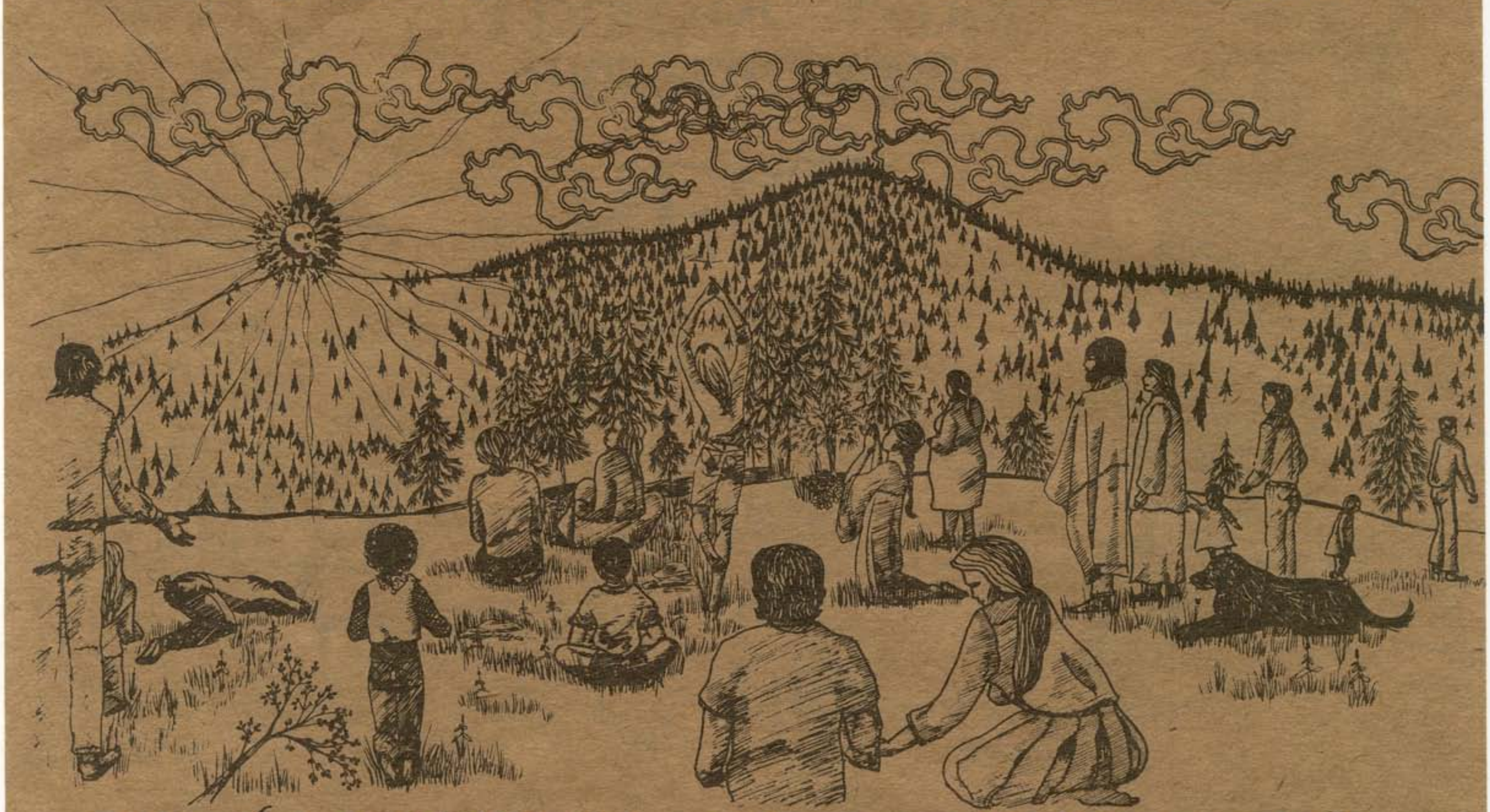
&
THEN
YOU
ARE

RIGHT
HERE

CHOPPING WOOD
& CARRYING WATER



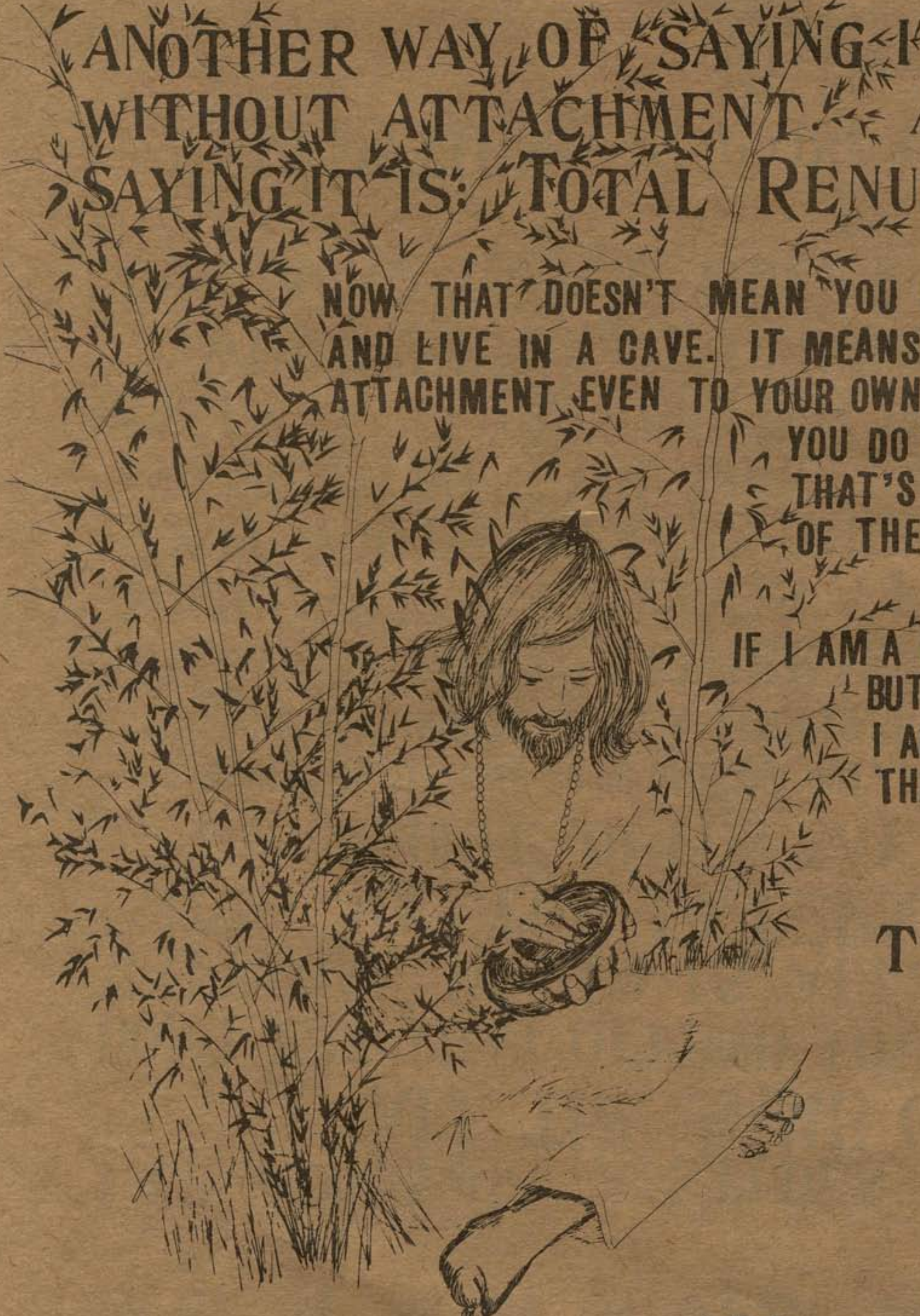
MAKING IT SACRED



THIS (CHOPPING WOOD AND CARRYING WATER) IS KARMA YOGA... THE YOGA OF DAILY LIFE. THE WAY TO DO IT IS: DO WHAT YOU DO BUT DEDICATE THE FRUITS OF THE WORK TO ME ॐ

THAT'S THE MOST ESOTERIC WAY OF SAYING IT.

ANOTHER WAY OF SAYING IT IS: DO IT WITHOUT ATTACHMENT. ANOTHER WAY OF SAYING IT IS: TOTAL RENUNCIATION!



NOW THAT DOESN'T MEAN YOU GO UP TO A MOUNTAIN AND LIVE IN A CAVE. IT MEANS THAT YOU RENOUNCE ATTACHMENT EVEN TO YOUR OWN DESIRES. IT MEANS YOU DO WHAT YOU DO BECAUSE THAT'S WHAT THE HARMONY OF THE UNIVERSE REQUIRES.

IF I AM A POTTER I MAKE POTS
BUT WHO IS MAKING THE POTS?
I AM NOT UNDER THE ILLUSION
THAT I AM MAKING THE POTS.

POTS ARE.
THE POTTER IS.
I AM A
HOLLOW
BAMBOO

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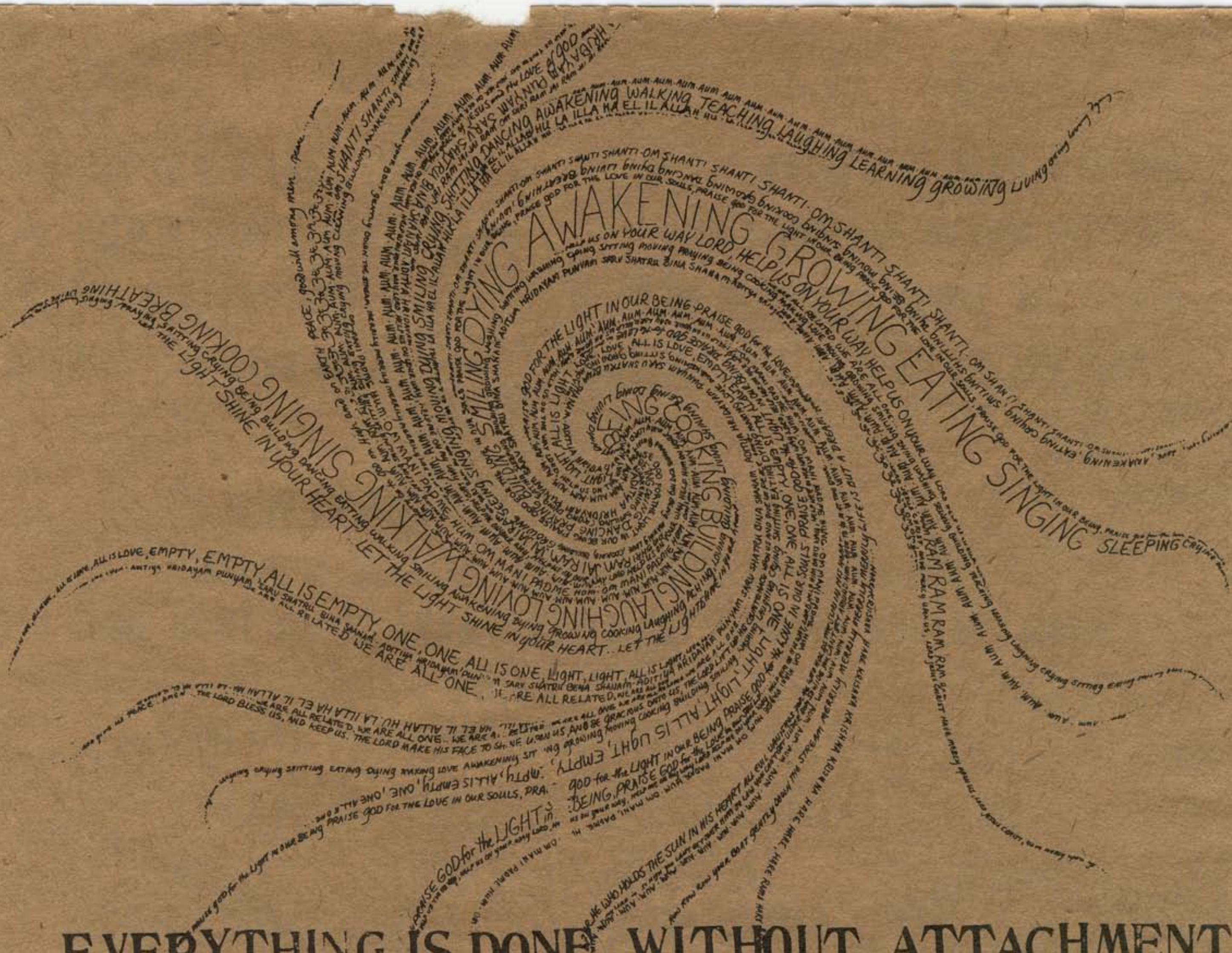
I AM A DOCTOR... A STUDENT... A DROP-OUT....
ALL THE SAME GAME
DON'T LET THAT OFFEND YOU, BUT ... THE
EXTERNAL WORLD IS ALL THE SAME...
IT'S ALL THE EXTERNAL WORLD!
PEOPLE OFTEN SAY TO ME:
I WOULD REALLY LIKE TO DO SADHANA, BUT ... I'M A TEACHER NOW. IF
I COULD ONLY FINISH BEING A TEACHER, I COULD DO SADHANA.
BALONEY! YOU'RE EITHER DOING SADHANA OR
YOU'RE NOT. SADHANA IS A FULL TIME THING
THAT YOU DO BECAUSE THERE IS NOTHING
ELSE TO DO. YOU DO IT WHETHER YOU RE
TEACHING, OR SITTING IN A MONASTERY...
WHETHER YOU'RE LYING IN BED,
GOING TO THE TOILET, MAKING LOVE,
EATING,
EVERYTHING IS PART OF
WAKING UP.


AWAKENING GROWING EATING SINGING SLEEPING
SMILING DYING
COOKING BREATHING
SINGING WALKING LOVING LAUGHING BUILDING COOKING BEING
LET THE LIGHT SHINE IN YOUR HEART. LET THE LIGHT SHINE IN YOUR HEART...
ALL IS EMPTY, ONE, ONE ALL IS ONE, LIGHT, LIGHT, ALL IS LIGHT
WE ARE ALL RELATED WE ARE ALL ONE
SHANTI SHANTI OM SHANTI SHANTI SHANTI OM SHANTI
CALL US ON YOUR WAY LORD, HELP US ON YOUR WAY HELP US ON YOUR WAY
PRAISE GOD FOR THE LIGHT IN OUR BEING. PRAISE GOD FOR THE LOVE IN OUR SOULS
DANCING AWAKENING WALKING TEACHING LAUGHING LEARNING GROWING LIVING
LA ILLA HA EL IL ALLAH HU
OM MANI PADME HUM
RAM RAM RAM RAM
AUM AUM AUM AUM
GOD FOR THE LIGHT IN OUR BEING, PRAISE GOD FOR THE LOVE
HE WHO HOLDS THE SUN IN HIS HEART
THE LORD BLESS US, AND KEEP US. THE LORD MAKE HIS FACE TO SHINE UPON US AND BE GRACIOUS UNTO US
PRAISE GOD FOR THE LIGHT

EVERYTHING IS DONE WITHOUT ATTACHMENT.
ANOTHER WAY OF SAYING IT IS:
IT'S ALL DONE AS CONSECRATED ACTION...
IT'S ALL DEDICATED... IT'S ALL SACRED.

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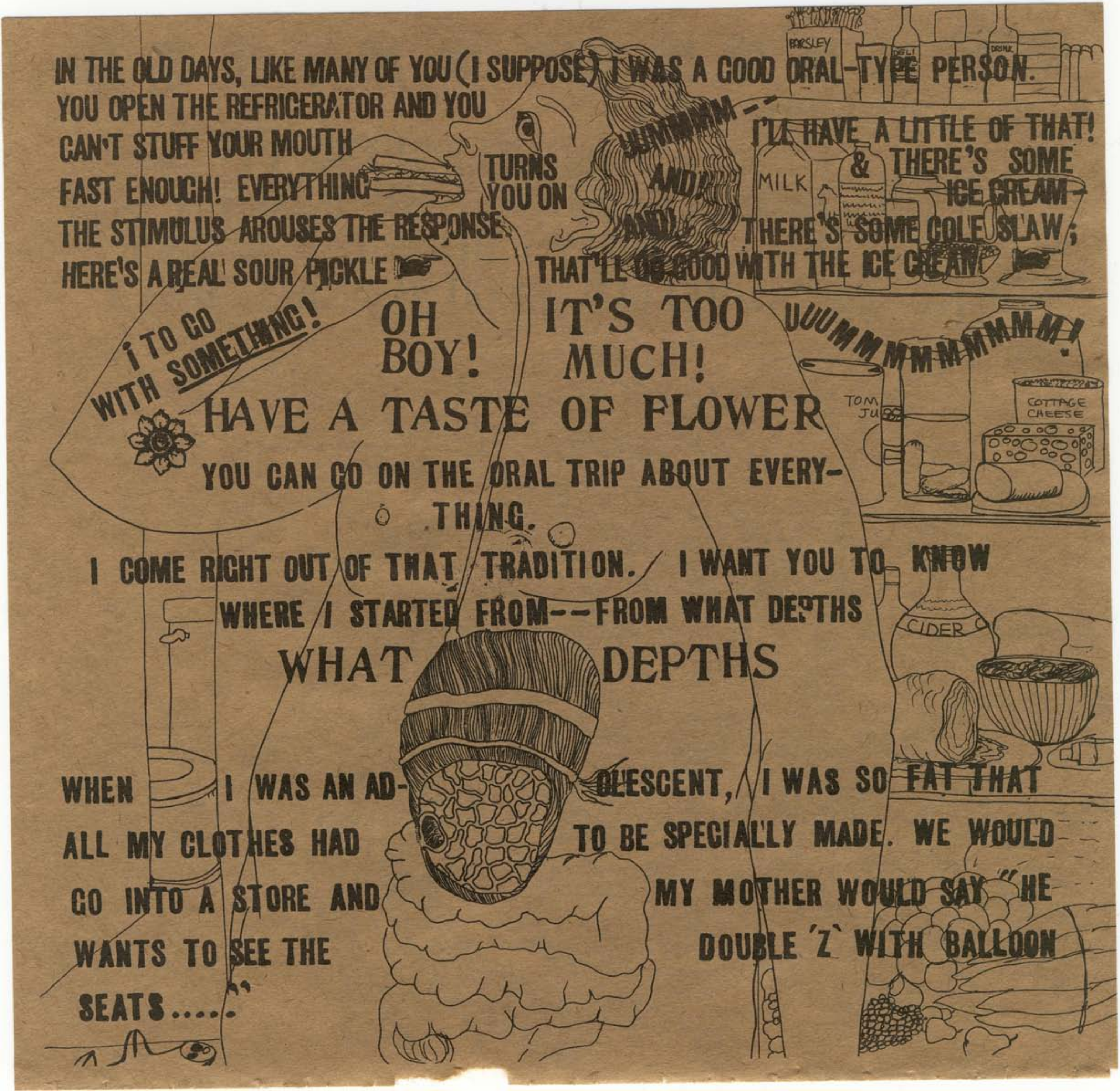


PARSLEY
DELI
DRINK
MILK
TOM JU
COTTAGE CHEESE
CIDER
UMMMMM---
I'LL HAVE A LITTLE OF THAT!
AND & THERE'S SOME ICE CREAM -
AND THERE'S SOME COLE SLAW;
THAT'LL GO GOOD WITH THE ICE CREAM ☛
¡TO GO WITH SOMETHING!
OH BOY!
IT'S TOO MUCH!
UUUMMMMMMMMMMMM!
HAVE A TASTE OF FLOWER

IN THE OLD DAYS, LIKE MANY OF YOU (I SUPPOSE) I WAS A GOOD ORAL-TYPE PERSON.

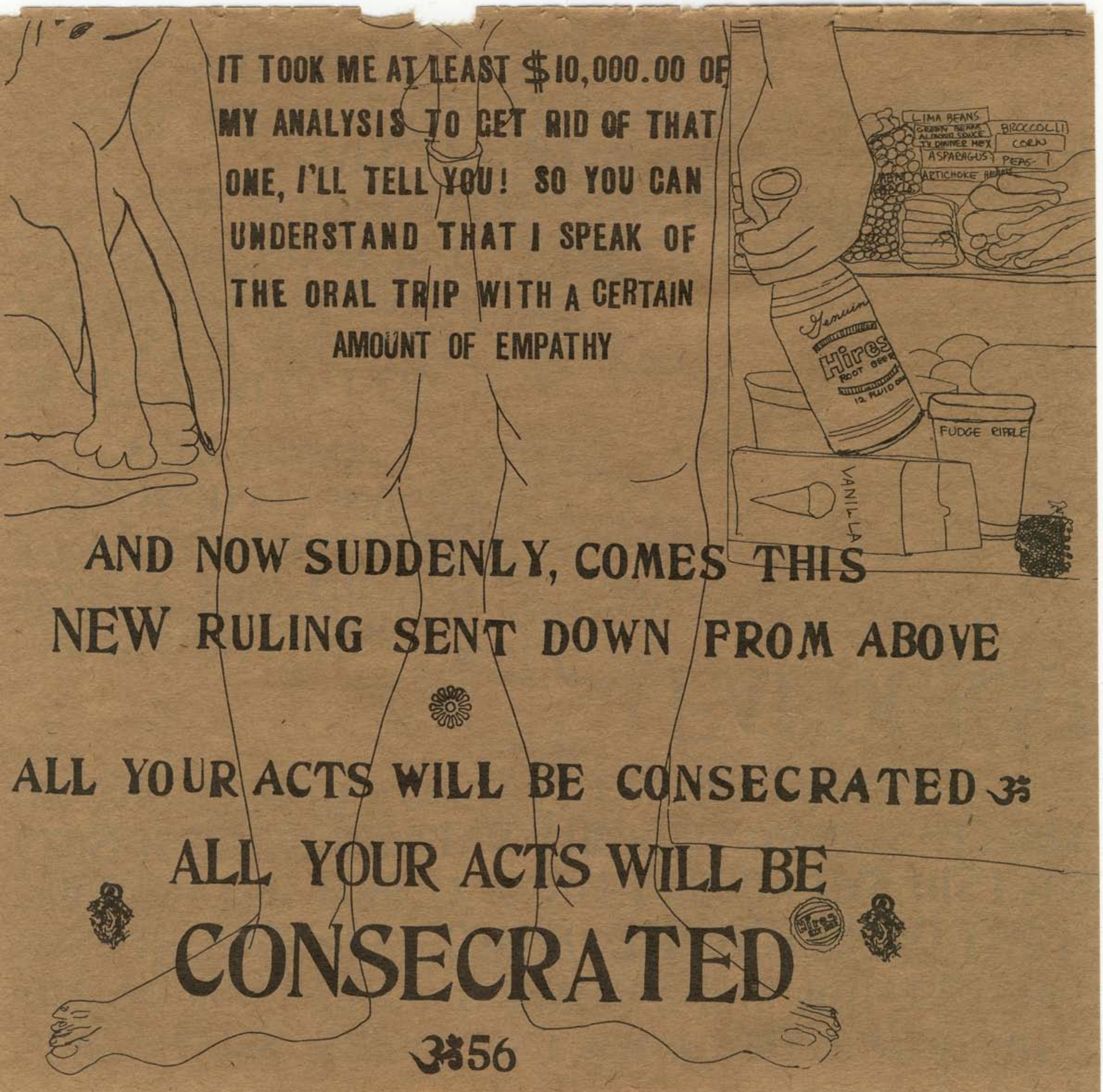
YOU OPEN THE REFRIGERATOR AND YOU CAN'T STUFF YOUR MOUTH FAST ENOUGH! EVERYTHING TURNS YOU ON THE STIMULUS AROUSES THE RESPONSE. HERE'S A REAL SOUR PICKLE ☛

YOU CAN GO ON THE ORAL TRIP ABOUT EVERYTHING.

I COME RIGHT OUT OF THAT TRADITION. I WANT YOU TO KNOW WHERE I STARTED FROM--FROM WHAT DEPTHS

WHAT DEPTHS

WHEN I WAS AN ADOLESCENT, I WAS SO FAT THAT ALL MY CLOTHES HAD TO BE SPECIALLY MADE. WE WOULD GO INTO A STORE AND MY MOTHER WOULD SAY "HE WANTS TO SEE THE DOUBLE 'Z' WITH BALLOON SEATS....."


LIMA BEANS
GREEN BEANS ALMOND SAUCE
TV DINNER MEX
ASPARAGUS
ARTICHOKE HEARTS
MEAT BALLS
BROCCOLLI
CORN
PEAS
Genuine Hires ROOT BEER 12 FLUID OZ
FUDGE RIPPLE
VANILLA

IT TOOK ME AT LEAST $10,000.00 OF MY ANALYSIS TO GET RID OF THAT ONE, I'LL TELL YOU! SO YOU CAN UNDERSTAND THAT I SPEAK OF THE ORAL TRIP WITH A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF EMPATHY

AND NOW SUDDENLY, COMES THIS NEW RULING SENT DOWN FROM ABOVE

✻

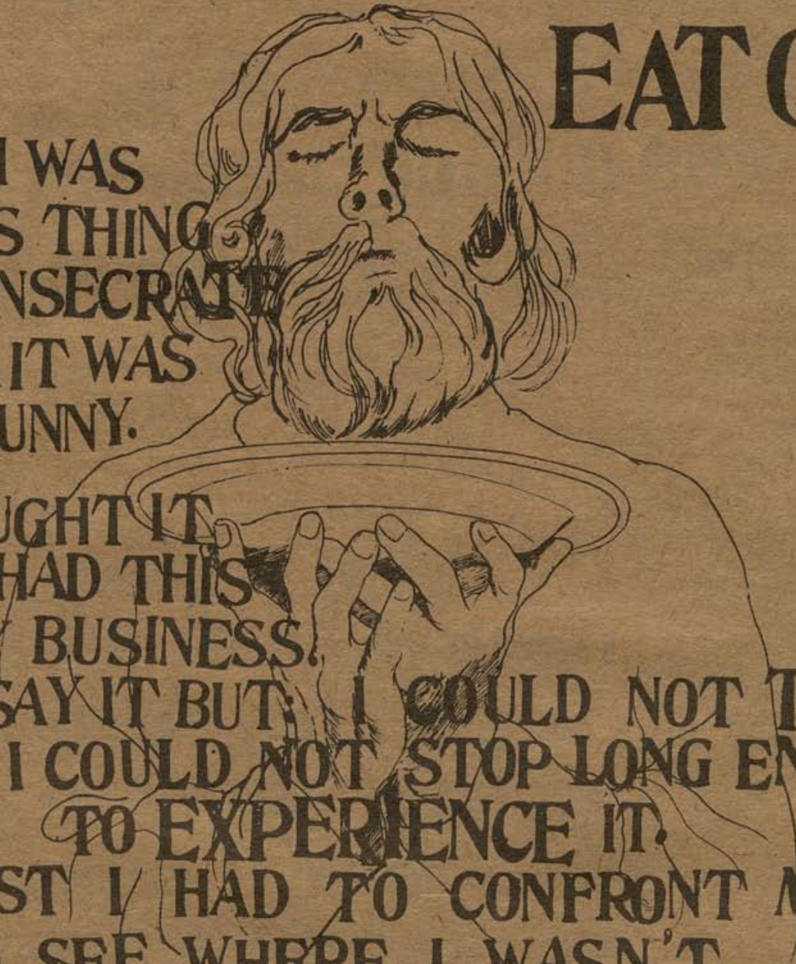
ALL YOUR ACTS WILL BE CONSECRATED ॐ

ALL YOUR ACTS WILL BE

CONSECRATED

WOW, THAT'S GREAT. BUT WHAT ABOUT FOOD? AH... NOW IN THE WEST WE HAVE A THING. YOU SEE THE NORMAN ROCKWELL COVER... THANKSGIVING DAY! THERE'S THE TURKEY & EVERYBODY HAS HIS EYES CLOSED SAYING GRACE & THE KID'S HAND IS ALREADY ON THE TURKEY... OKAY! LET'S SAY GRACE &

EAT QUICK!



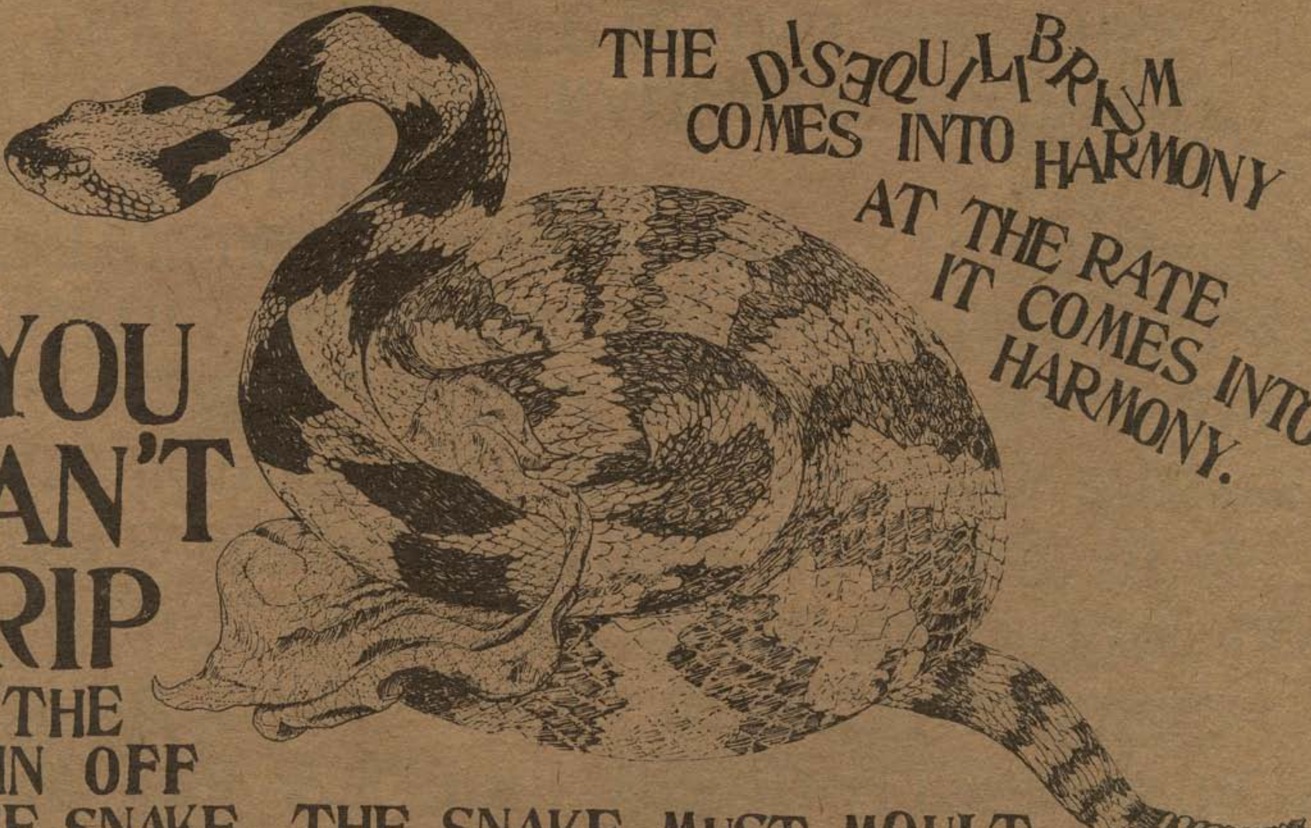
SO IN INDIA I WAS TAUGHT THIS THING TO SAY TO CONSECRATE THE FOOD & IT WAS VERY FUNNY.

I'D BEEN TAUGHT IT BUT I STILL HAD THIS OLD ORALITY BUSINESS. SO I WOULD SAY IT BUT I COULD NOT THINK IT. AND...I COULD NOT STOP LONG ENUF TO EXPERIENCE IT. AT LAST I HAD TO CONFRONT MYSELF AND SEE WHERE I WASN'T.

YOU'VE GOT TO GO
AT THE RATE
YOU CAN GO.

YOU WAKE UP
AT THE RATE
YOU WAKE UP.

YOU'RE FINISHED WITH YOUR DESIRES
AT THE RATE
YOU FINISH WITH YOUR DESIRES.

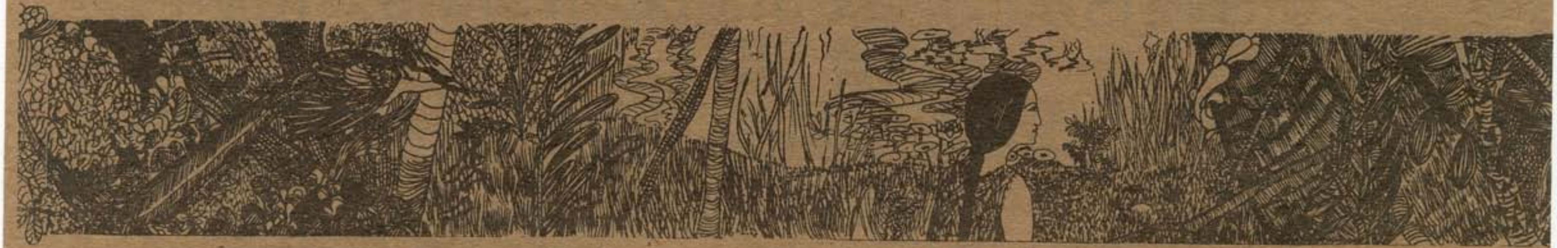


THE DISEQUILIBRIUM
COMES INTO HARMONY
AT THE RATE
IT COMES INTO
HARMONY.

YOU
CAN'T
RIP
THE
SKIN OFF
THE SNAKE. THE SNAKE MUST MOULT
THE SKIN. THAT'S THE RATE IT HAPPENS.

YOU MEET ANOTHER PERSON & THERE ARE QUALITIES IN THAT PERSONALITY WHICH OFFEND YOU & THERE ARE QUALITIES WHICH ATTRACT YOU- SOME QUALITIES SEDUCE YOU - SOME QUALITIES REPEL YOU - SOME QUALITIES SEXUALLY EXCITE YOU- SOME QUALITIES REVOLT YOU- SOME QUALITIES INTEREST YOU- SOME QUALITIES FASCINATE YOU- SOME QUALITIES BORE YOU. IT'S ONLY WHEN YOU CAN SEE THROUGH ALL THAT VEIL... THROUGH ALL YOUR OWN DESIRES...

...BEYOND SITA WALKING IN THE PATH
THAT YOU CAN SEE BEYOND ALL THAT



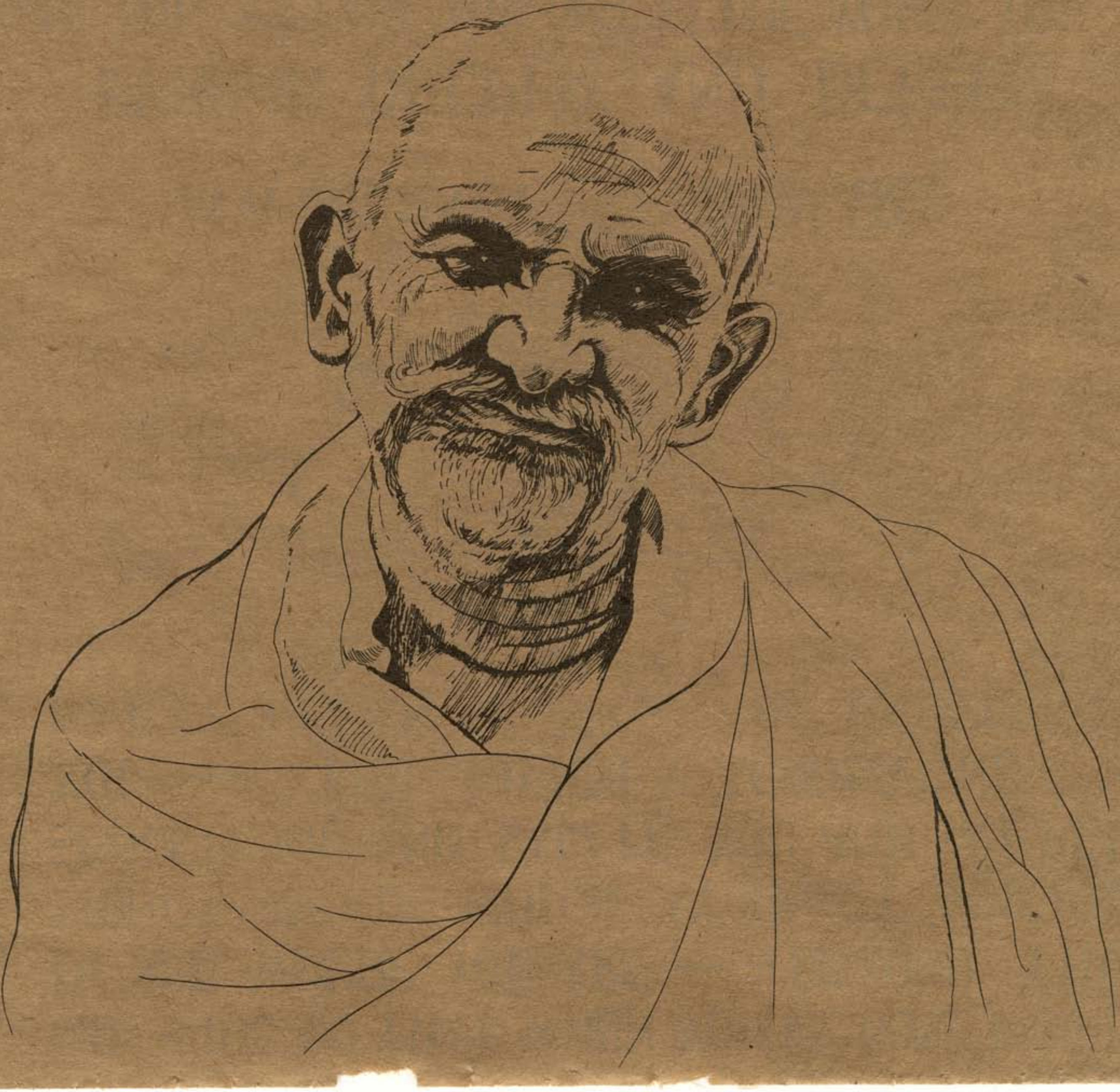
TO WHERE THE OTHER BEING IS

YOU WILL DO THAT WHEN YOU'VE GONE INSIDE
TO SEE WHERE YOU ARE —— BEYOND THE
THINGS IN YOU WHICH ATTRACT YOU AND
SEDUCE YOU AND EXCITE YOU AND REPEL
YOU —— THE JOURNEY ACROSS THE
GREAT OCEAN OF EXISTENCE

IS A JOURNEY INWARD

EVER IN DEEPER AND DEEPER
AND THE DEEPER YOU GET IN THE MORE YOU
MEET TRUTH

THE GURU



IT'S HARD TO SPEAK IN WORDS ABOUT THE GURU .... TO SPEAK OF THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN AN UPA GURU AND A SAT GURU.

IT'S INTERESTING THAT WHEN I TELL THE STORY OF MY JOURNEY IN INDIA AND TELL OF THE GURU, I ALWAYS SPEAK OF HIS MIRACLES, ALTHOUGH, FROM MY POINT OF VIEW THEY ARE NOT THE ESSENCE OF THE MATTER AT ALL.

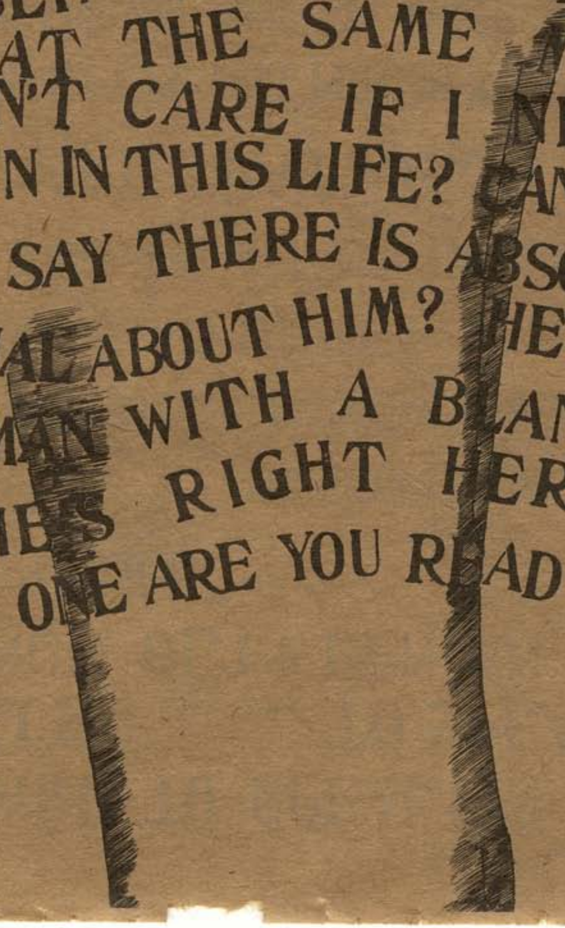
BUT: THEY ARE THAT WHICH IS SPEAKABLE OF...

IT'S A LITTLE LIKE THAT PERSIAN STORY WHERE NASRUDDIN IS LOOKING FOR HIS HOUSEKEY UNDER THE STREETLAMP AND OTHERS COME TO HELP HIM AND FINALLY THEY ASK HIM "WHERE DID YOU LOSE IT?" AND HE ANSWERS, "IN MY HOUSE, BUT IT'S DARK IN THERE AND SINCE IT'S LIGHT OUT HERE THIS IS THE BEST PLACE TO LOOK."

I FIND MYSELF TALKING ABOUT THINGS THAT ARE TALKABLE ABOUT

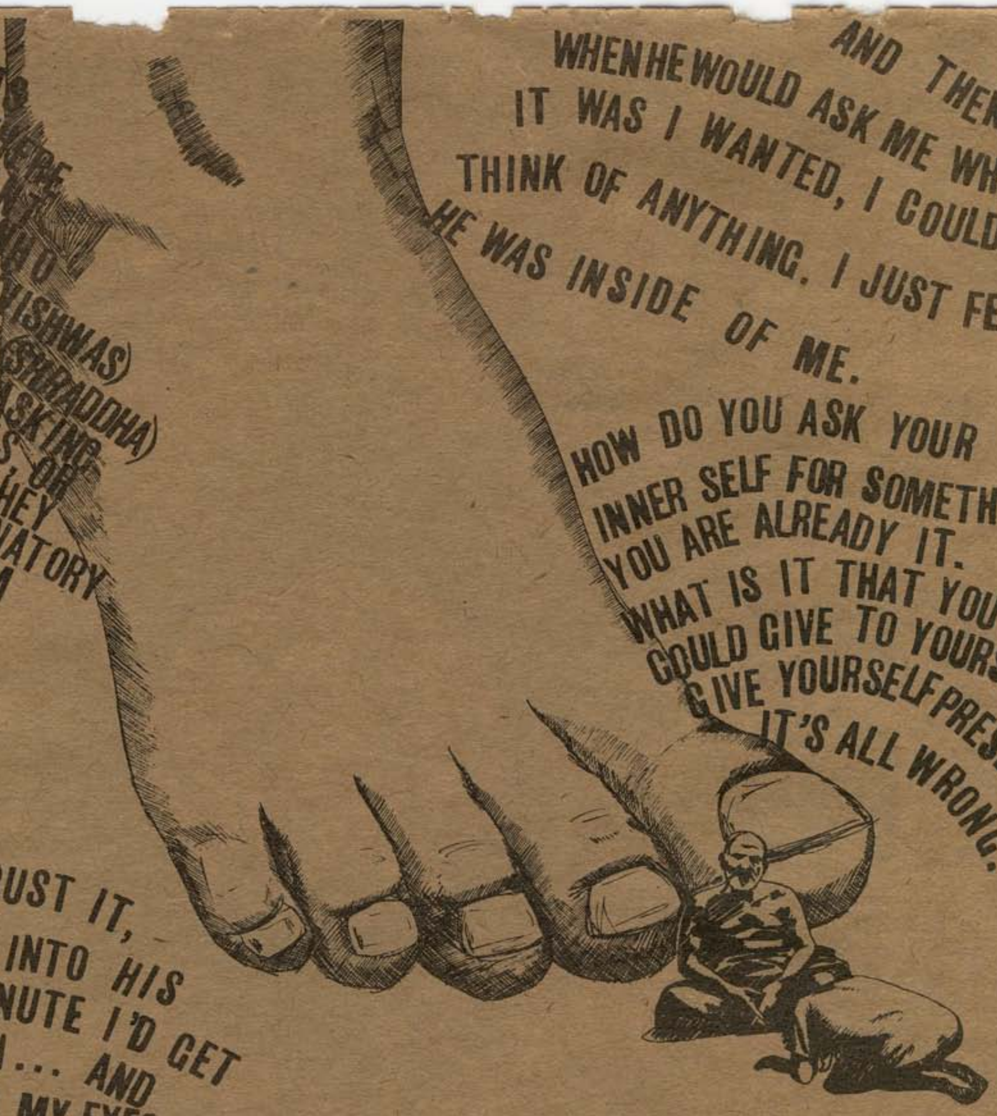
WHAT CAN I SAY ?

CAN I SAY (WITH ANY MEANING)
THAT WHEN I'M WITH THE GURU,
THERE'S NOBODY HOME? OR:
THAT I LOVE HIM SO THOROUGHLY
THAT I WOULD DO ANYTHING
HE WOULD EVER ASK OF ME AND
THE HIGHEST THING I COULD THINK OF
IS BEING AT HIS FEET AND
AT THE SAME MOMENT
I DON'T CARE IF I NEVER SEE HIM
AGAIN IN THIS LIFE? CAN I SAY THAT?
CAN I SAY THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NOTHING
SPECIAL ABOUT HIM? HE'S JUST A LITTLE
OLD MAN WITH A BLANKET? CAN I SAY
HE'S RIGHT HERE NOW?
WHICH ONE ARE YOU READY TO HEAR?



WHEN I WAS AROUND MAHARAJ-JI THERE WAS ALWAYS A CONSTANT STREAM OF DEVOTEES WHO HAVE MUCH REVERENCE (VISHWAS) BUT NOT TOO MUCH FAITH (SHRADDHA) AND THEY WERE ALWAYS ASKING MAHARAJ-JI FOR MIRACLES, OR TO GET THEM A JOB, OR THEY WANTED TO USE HIS DIVINATORY POWERS AND TELL THEM ABOUT THE FUTURE.

AND THEN WHEN HE WOULD ASK ME WHAT IT WAS I WANTED, I COULDN'T THINK OF ANYTHING. I JUST FELT HE WAS INSIDE OF ME.



HOW DO YOU ASK YOUR INNER SELF FOR SOMETHING? YOU ARE ALREADY IT. WHAT IS IT THAT YOU COULD GIVE TO YOURSELF? GIVE YOURSELF PRESENTS? IT'S ALL WRONG.

AT FIRST I DIDN'T TRUST IT, SO I'D HAVE TO COME INTO HIS PRESENCE AND THE MINUTE I'D GET THERE I'D FEEL... YEAH... AND I'D LOOK AT HIM AND MY EYES WOULD GET ALL SWIMMING WITH TEARS AND I'D JUST LAUGH AND I'D FEEL SILLY. I WOULD REALLY BE SILLY.

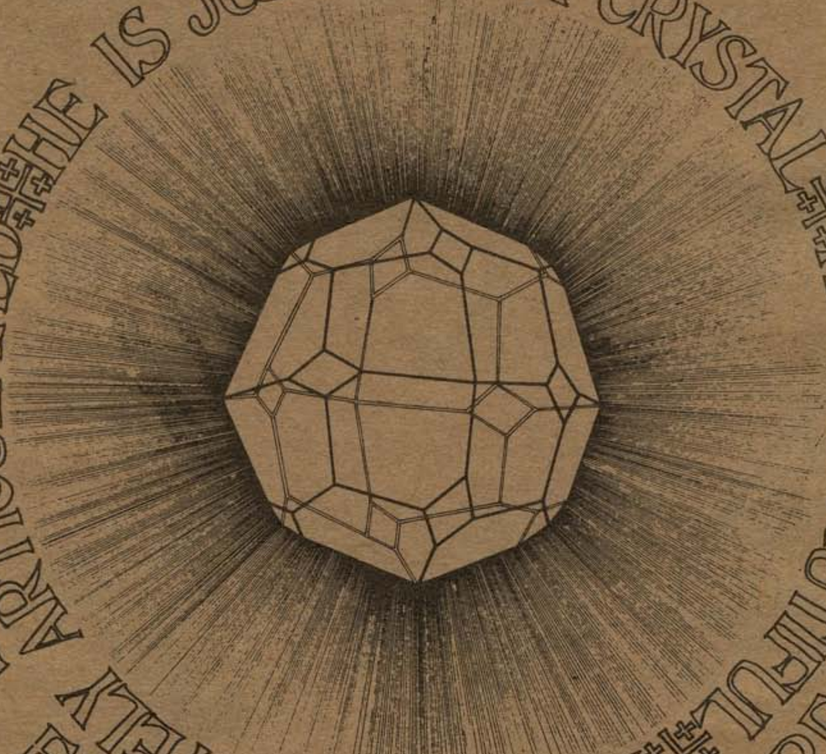
Silly (IT'S HARD TO GET ME SPEECHLESS)

MY TEACHER HARI DASS BABA IS ESSENCE

HE IS PURE

HE IS JUST LIKE A CRYSTAL ✠ HE IS BEAUTIFUL ✠ HE IS EXQUISITELY ARTICULATED ✠

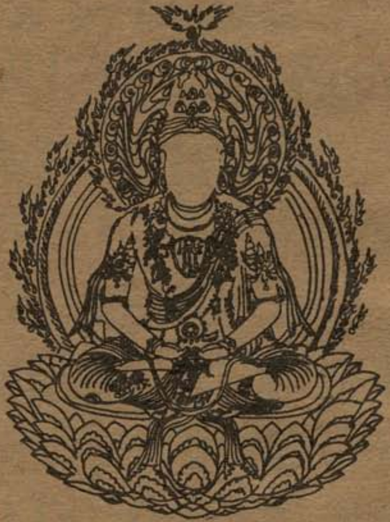
HE TAUGHT ME EVERYTHING I WAS READY TO LEARN



THE GURU TAUGHT ME NOTHING IN FORM

HE NEVER EXPLAINED ANYTHING
HE'D LAUGH AT ME AND TWIRL MY HAIR
AND HAND ME AN ORANGE AND SAY THINGS LIKE:
YOU MAKE MANY PEOPLE LAUGH IN AMERICA?
AND I'D SAY "YES" AND HE'D SAY "THAT'S GOOD"
THAT DOESN'T TEACH YOU MUCH THAT'S JUST HANGING
OUT. THE TEACHER ON THE OTHER HAND WAS ALL
SPIT AND POLISH..ALL BUSINESS. HE IS A PURE BRAHMIN
AND HE HAS WORK TO DO AND HE IS GOING TO TEACH ME
AND IT WAS ALL NO NONSENSE.
HE WOULD BE MAKING ME A ROPE TO GO AROUND
MY WAIST WITH SEVEN STRANDS
AND HE WOULD BE EXPLAINING EACH STRAND...
AND I HONOR HIM AND LOVE HIM
AND WISH TO SERVE HIM
ONE OF THEM IS IN THE WORLD FOR ME
AND ONE OF THEM IS NOT
THE RELATIONSHIP TO THE GURU
HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH WORLDLINESS
WITH THE WORLDLY

BY GURU I DON T MEAN A SPECIFIC GURU
IN MY HEAD THERE IS A UNIVERSAL GURU
A LEVEL OF CONSCIOUSNESS A FREQUENCY OF
VIBRATION A CONNECTION TO ANOTHER PLANE...



HE WAS RIGHT HERE
LAUGHING

AND

BEING

HERE

ALL

I SPENT ALL
LAST WINTER
AND THE YEAR
BEFORE AT THE
TEMPLE JUST
MAKING LOVE
TO MAHARAJI
IN EVERY WAY
BEING OPENED
WIDER AND WAS
JUST SO AWED
BY THE PURE

NOT MORE THAN
HALF AN HOUR OR
MAYBE AN HOUR
AND MOST OF
THAT WAS SUP
ERFLOUS I
NEEDED TO SEE
HIM IN THE FLESH
ONLY BECAUSE
MY FAITH WAS
NOT PURE EN
OUGH WHAT

LOVE OF A
BEING THAT
THERE WAS NO
PLACE FOR MY
PARANOIA YET
EVERYWHERE I
TURNED THERE
IT WAS AND NO
PLACE FOR IT
BECAUSE
I ONLY SAW THE
MAN IN THE
FLESH PROBABLY
EIGHT TIMES
ITS AMAZING
AND ALL BUT
TWO TIMES FOR

THE TIME

AWES ME IS THE
PEOPLE WHO
HAVE BEEN
SHARING THIS
JOURNEY WITH
ME THESE PAST
FEW YEARS WHO
HAVE BECAUSE
OF THEIR PURITY
MADE DIRECT
CONTACT WITH
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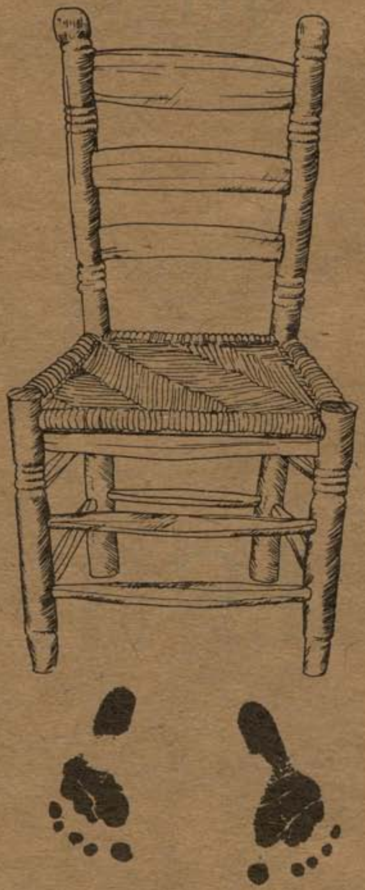
LOVE



JESUS SAID
"BECAUSE YOU HAVE SEEN ME
YOU HAVE BELIEVED. BLESSED
ARE THEY THAT HAVE NOT SEEN
AND YET HAVE BELIEVED."

THE WAY BHAKTI WORKS

YOU JUST LOVE

UNTIL

YOU

AND THE

BELOVED

BECOME

ONE

I'VE REFLECTED ON THE DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN A TEACHER AND THE GURU.

THE GURU **IS** THE WAY

THE CLOSER YOU COME
TO THE TAO
TO THE WAY
THE INNER PLACE
THE ATMAN
INTO THIS PERFECT CENTER
TO GOING
INTO SAMADHI
THE CLOSER YOU COME
TO MAKING CONTACT
WITH THE GURU

IT'S AS IF THE GURU IS AN AIRPLANE HOVERING OVER A LANDING FIELD AND THERE'S JUST TOO MUCH GROUND TRAFFIC FOR THE PLANE TO LAND. CARS ALL OVER THE RUNWAY. LOOKING FOR A GURU. HE JUST CIRCLES AND CIRCLES, DOING A HOLDING PATTERN, WAITING FOR YOU TO CLEAR YOUR RUNWAY SO HE CAN LAND. HE'S SITTING UPTHERE (IN HERE) ALL THE TIME.

MAHARAJ-JI IS NOT FURTHER AWAY FROM YOU AT THIS MOMENT THAN THE THOUGHT YOU'RE THINKING NOW AND: IF YOU WERE CAPABLE OF COMPLETELY STOPPING THIS THOUGHT OR: TRANSCENDING IT OR: BEING CENTERED FROM THE INSIDE BEHIND IT HE AND YOU WOULD THEN BE ONE

YOU DIG THAT MY SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP TO HIM (IF INDEED, HE IS LIVING IN SAT CHIT ANANDA) CANNOT CONCEIVABLY BE SPECIAL. THERE'S NO MEANING TO THAT. SPECIALNESS CAN ONLY BE IN EACH PERSON'S KARMA. IT'S NOT AN INTERPERSONAL RELATIONSHIP -- WITH A BEING THAT IS NOT INTERPERSONAL. PEOPLE SAY: YOU'VE GOT SOMETHING GOING WITH THE GURU. THAT'S ABSURD. I JUST HAVE WHAT I HAVE GOING WITH MY OWN KARMA. EACH PERSON IS AS CLOSE TO THE GURU AT EVERY MOMENT AS HE IS CLOSE TO THE GURU AT THAT MOMENT. AND PEOPLE SAY: MAYBE THE GURU WOULD INTERVENE AND TAKE ON MY KARMA. BUT FROM A
GURU'S POINT OF VIEW

HE JUST UNDERSTANDS

HOW IT ALL IS IN

ETERNAL

TIME AND SPACE

ॐ 65

HE HAS NO ATTACHMENT
EITHER TO LIFE, OR DEATH
AND: IF HE TAKES ON YOUR KARMA
IT IS YOUR KARMA THAT HE SHOULD
TAKE ON YOUR KARMA

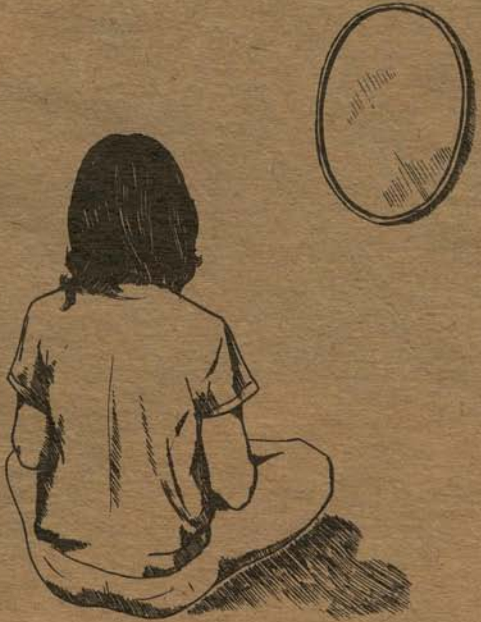
SIMPLE AS THAT

YOU SEE:

YOU ARE THE GURU

THAT'S WHAT'S SO FAR OUT~
❁YOU ARE YOUR OWN GURU❁
❁I AM MY OWN GRANDPA❁
AND THAT'S WHAT YOU FINALLY KNOW WHEN
YOU ARE HANGING OUT WITH ONE OF THESE GUYS
YOU'HANG OUT WITH YOURSELF

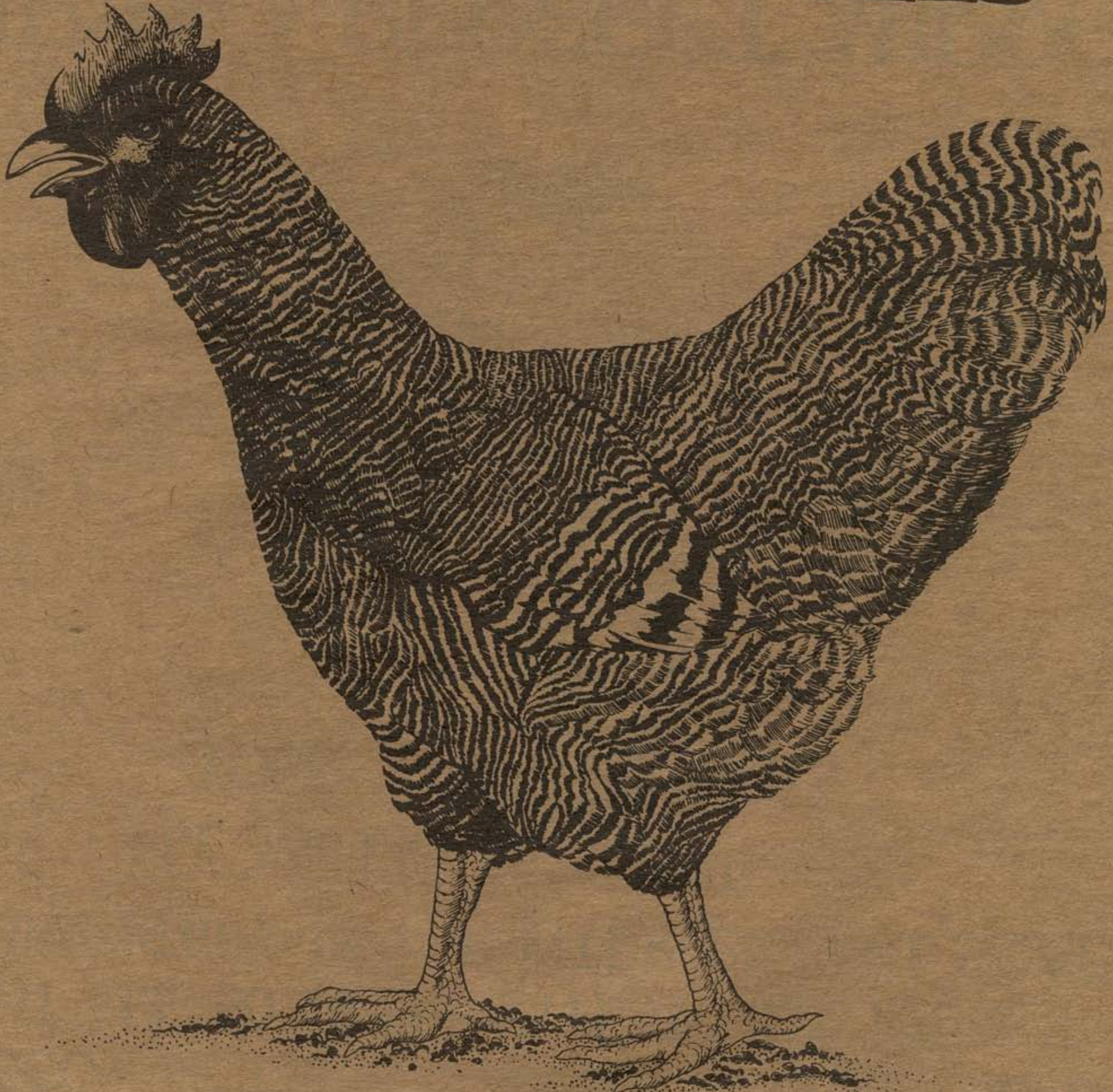
BECAUSE THERE'S NOBODY AT HOME THERE AT ALL. SO TO THE EXTENT THAT THERE'S HANGING OUT (IN THE INTERPERSONAL SENSE) ALL YOU CAN BE SEEING ARE YOUR OWN DESIRES



HE IS A PERFECT MIRROR

SINCE THERE'S NOBODY HERE

THE CHICKEN SEES



WHEN I MET MY GURU WHO KNEW
EVERYTHING
IN MY HEAD,
I REALIZED
THAT HE KNEW
EVERYTHING
IN MY HEAD
WHETHER "I" LIKED IT OR NOT.
HE KNEW IT.

AND THERE WOULD BE TIMES AFTER A PARTICULARLY BEAUTIFUL DARSHAN WITH HIM WHEN HE'D SAY TO ME: "OH! YOU GAVE MUCH MONEY TO A LAMA," AND I'D SAY YES AND HE'D SAY: "YOU'RE VERY GOOD. YOU'RE COMING ALONG WITH YOUR SADHANA," AND I FELT SO GOOD AND THEN I'D GO BACK TO THE TEMPLE AND THINK "BOY! I'M GOING TO BE A GREAT YOGI. I'LL HAVE GREAT POWERS. WHAT AM I GOING TO DO WITH THEM?"...AND I'D START TO HAVE THESE HORRIBLE THOUGHTS AND ALL MY IMPURITIES WOULD RISE TO THE SURFACE AND THEY WOULD REALLY BE... AND THEN I'D GO TO BED AND HAVE ALL KINDS OF SEXUAL FANTASIES AND I'D THINK "LOOK YOU'RE BEING A YOGI AND YOU SEE THE ABSURDITY OF THAT SITUATION YOU'RE IN..." BUT I'D STILL HAVE THE THOUGHT. AND THEN, IN THE COURSE OF IT, I'D HAVE A THOUGHT (I'D BE GOING THROUGH MY SHOULDER BAG AND COME ACROSS A NOTE I'D WRITTEN TO MYSELF: "REMEMBER TO VISIT LAMA GOVINDA") AND I'D THINK, "I MUST VISIT LAMA GOVINDA WHILE I'M IN INDIA."

AND THE NEXT MORNING AT 8 O'CLOCK THERE IS THE MESSENGER WITH INSTRUCTIONS: "THE GURU SAID YOU'RE TO GO VISIT LAMA GOVINDA."

NOW! THERE ISN'T A MESSAGE SAYING: "CUT OUT THOSE SEXUAL THOUGHTS," BUT HE MUST OBVIOUSLY KNOW THEM. DO YOU THINK HE JUST PICKED UP ON THE LAMA GOVINDA THING?

CAN I ASSUME THE PROBABILITIES ARE HE ONLY TUNES IN EVERY TIME I HAVE A POSITIVE THOUGHT?

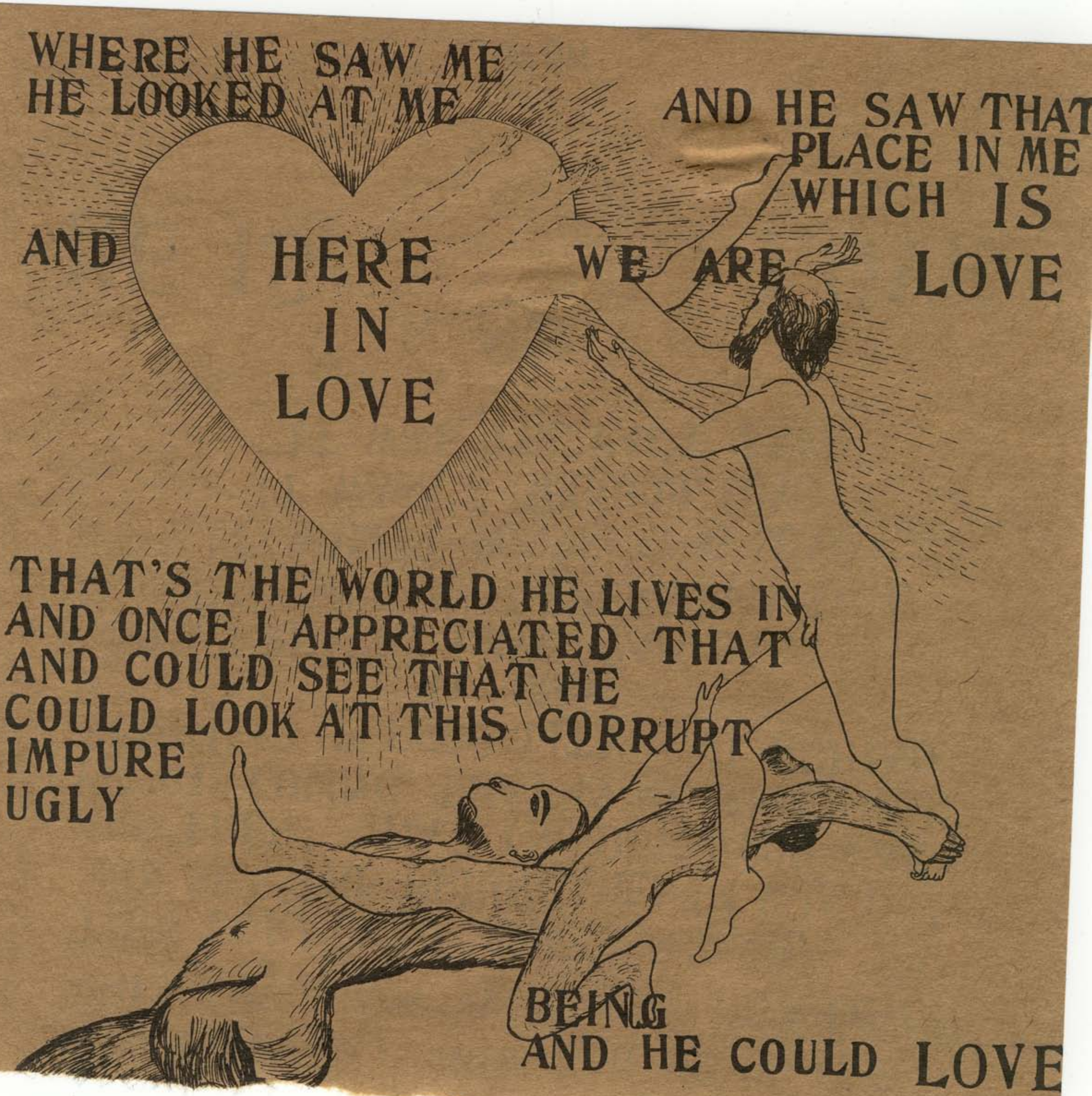
AND THEN I COME BEFORE HIM AND NOW I'M FREAKED BECAUSE I KNOW HE KNOWS IT ALL: AND I WALK IN, AND HE

LOOKS AT ME WITH TOTAL

LOVE

AND I THINK: HOW CAN HE DO IT?
THIS GUY MUST BE NUTS! HE'S LOVING
THIS CORRUPT... WHY ISN'T HE... ?
YOU SEE THE PREDICAMENT I WAS IN?
AND THEN! WHAT I UNDERSTOOD WAS:
HE WAS LOVING THAT IN ME WHICH WAS
BEHIND MY PERSONALITY AND BEHIND
MY BODY.
NOT: "I REALLY LOVE RAM DASS"
IT WASN'T INTERPERSONAL LOVE
IT WASN'T POSSESSIVE LOVE
IT WASN'T NEEDFUL LOVE
IT WAS THE FACT THAT

HE IS **LOVE**


WHERE HE SAW ME
HE LOOKED AT ME
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PLACE IN ME
WHICH IS
LOVE
AND
HERE
IN
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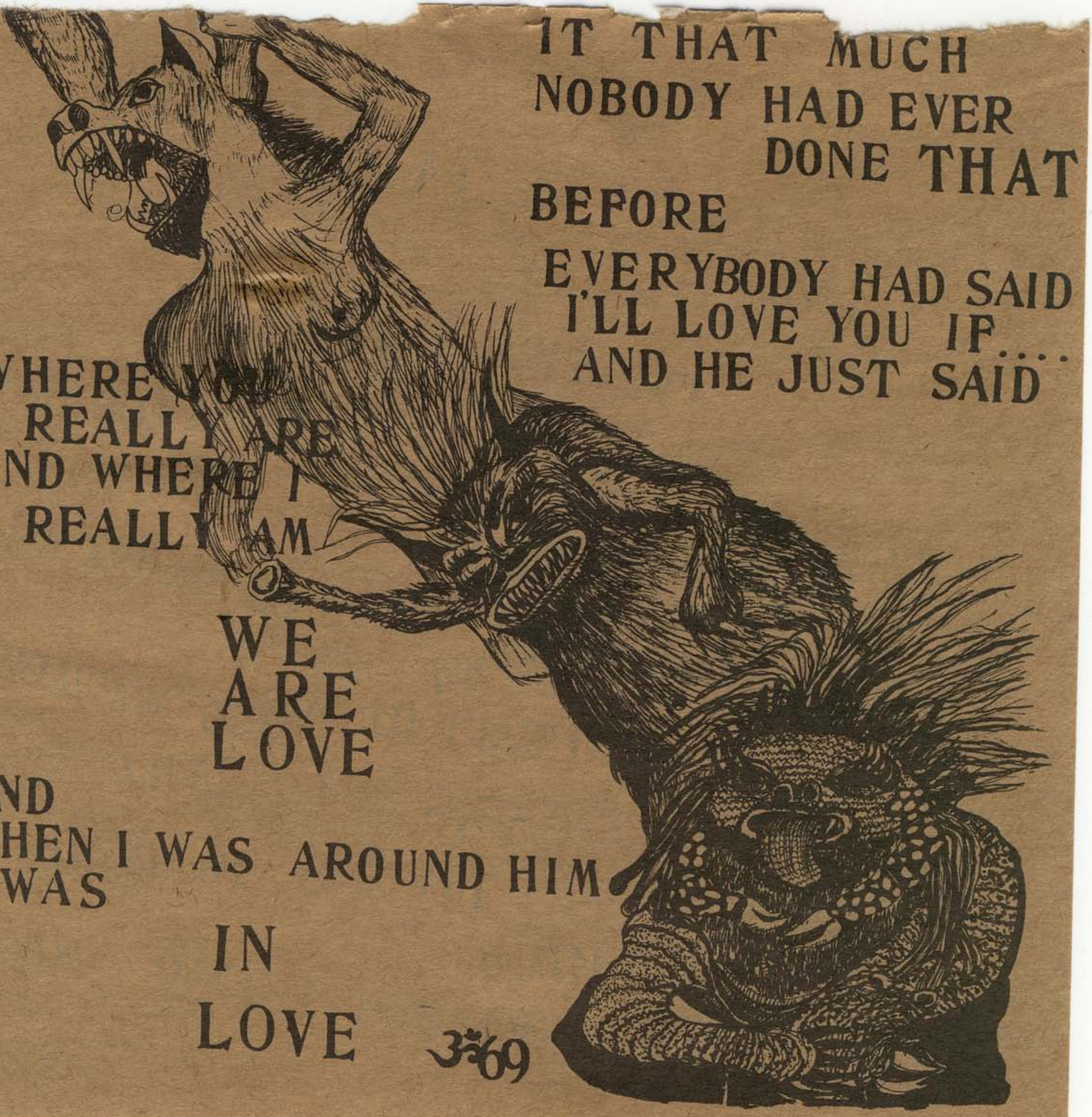
WE ARE
THAT'S THE WORLD HE LIVES IN
AND ONCE I APPRECIATED THAT
AND COULD SEE THAT HE
COULD LOOK AT THIS CORRUPT
IMPURE
UGLY
BEING
AND HE COULD LOVE



IT THAT MUCH
NOBODY HAD EVER
DONE THAT
BEFORE
EVERYBODY HAD SAID
I'LL LOVE YOU IF....
AND HE JUST SAID

WHERE YOU
REALLY ARE
AND WHERE I
REALLY AM

WE
ARE
LOVE

AND
WHEN I WAS AROUND HIM
I WAS

IN

LOVE

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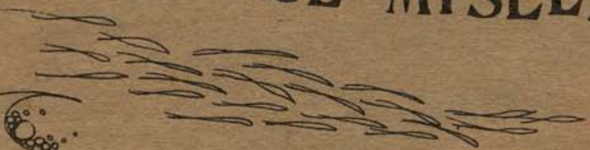
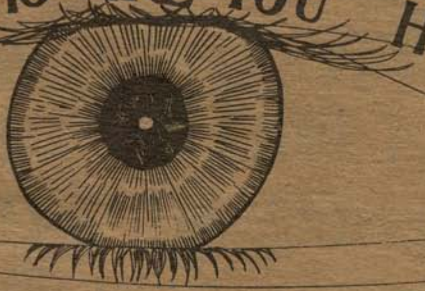
NOW: ONCE I HAD TASTED OF THAT
UNIVERSE
WHERE WE ARE ALL US ... THIS PLACE:
THAT'S THE SEA OF LOVE
BOY! I'M GOING TO LIVE IN IT!
I'M GOING TO BE IT!
I'M GOING TO SUBMERGE MYSELF IN IT!



YOU GOTTA PROTECT YOURSELF ...
FROM WHAT?

LOVE ?

ONCE YOU KNOW THERE'S NO PLACE TO HIDE
THEN
YOU WONDER WHO ARE YOU ANYWAY
HIDING FROM?



THERE'S A SIKH STORY ABOUT A HOLY MAN WHO GAVE TWO MEN EACH A CHICKEN
AND SAID: "GO KILL THEM WHERE NO ONE CAN SEE."
ONE GUY WENT BEHIND THE FENCE AND KILLED THE CHICKEN.
THE OTHER GUY WALKED AROUND FOR TWO DAYS AND CAME BACK WITH THE CHICKEN.

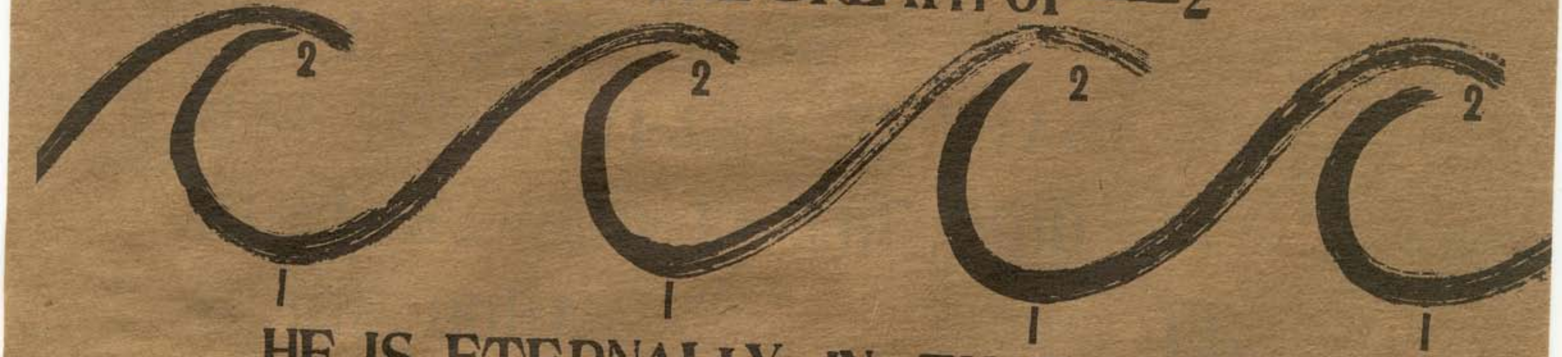
THE HOLY MAN SAID: YOU DIDN'T KILL THE CHICKEN?"
THE GUY SAID: "WELL, EVERYWHERE I GO, THE CHICKEN SEES."

SAHAJ SAMADHI

THE GURU IS ON AN ENDLESS WAVE
JUST HANGING OUT IN THAT PLACE
HE'S HANGING WHERE DOES HE RESIDE?
HE RESIDES IN THIS REALLY INTERESTING PLACE
HE RESIDES RIGHT IN THAT PLACE
WHERE THE DIVINE MOTHER
MERGES INTO HERSELF
HE'S RIGHT BETWEEN THE ☯ TWO SIDES OF THE COIN
HE'S RIGHT AT THAT PLACE
HE GOES INTO ONE-WITH-IT-ALL INTO THE VOID
& HE COMES BACK INTO FORM
IN ORDER TO LOVE IT ALL & THEN
THROUGH HIS LOVE HE GOES BACK INTO IT AGAIN

IT'S LIKE MAKING LOVE TO SOME BODY
& YOU PICK YOUR FACE UP FROM
YOUR LOVER IN ORDER TO COME DOWN
TO EXPERIENCE AREN'T WE HAVING A BALL?
& THEN YOU GO BACK INTO ONE-NESS

SUCH A ZEN BEING DOES THAT WITH EVERY BREATH
BETWEEN EACH BREATH—1
& THEN THE BREATH OF—2

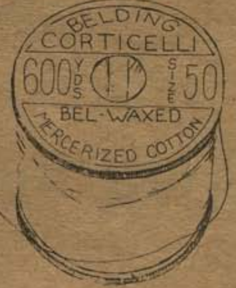


HE IS ETERNALLY IN THAT PLACE
HE'S IN WHAT IS KNOWN AS
SAHAJ SAMADHI

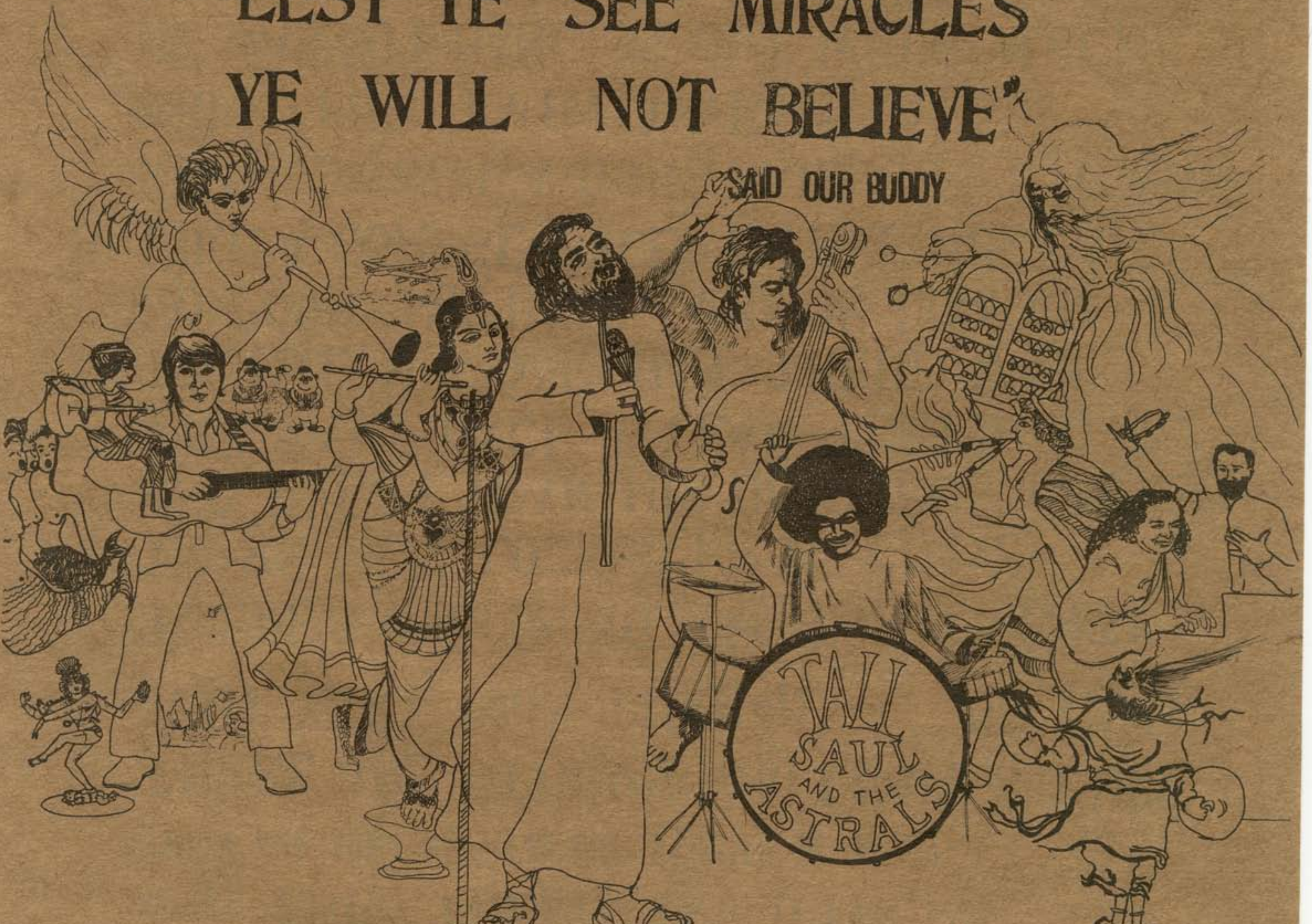
HE'S RIGHT AT THE EDGE
HE STAYS AT THAT EDGE
AND THAT'S WHY HE STAYS
IN HIS BODY . . .   IF HE
JUST STAYED IN THE VOID
THE BODY (AFTER 21 DAYS)
JUST FALLS AWAY
THERE'S NO EGO LEFT
TO HOLD IT TOGETHER
THAT'S THE RULE OF THE GAME
IF YOU'RE WONDERING WHAT HAPPENS.
SOME BEINGS DO THAT
THEY GO INTO SAMADHI
AND THEY'VE FINISHED WITH THEIR
BODIES AND THEY JUST LEAVE THEM.

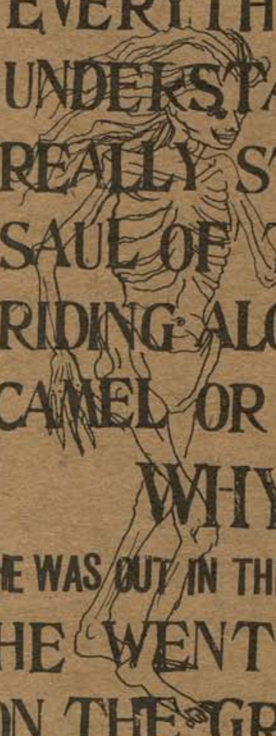
AND THEN THERE ARE OTHERS
(THERE ARE SOME VERY FAR OUT STORIES IN INDIA)
THERE ARE OTHERS WHO LEAVE A THIN,
VERY, VERY THIN THREAD OF EGO.
THERE'S ONE BEING WHO FOR TWENTY
YEARS WAS LOCKED UP IN A CAVE:
AND EVERY YEAR HIS DEVOTEES OPENED
THE CAVE. ONCE A YEAR THEY'D GO IN
TO HAVE HIS DARSHAN. THERE WAS
NO FOOD. NOTHING. AND HE LOOKED
LIKE A CORPSE EXCEPT THAT HIS HAIR
KEPT GROWING AND HIS NAILS KEPT GROWING... FOR TWENTY YEARS...
HE WAS NOT HANGING OUT WITH MUCH
HE WAS JUST LEAVING A SUBTLE
THREAD TO KEEP

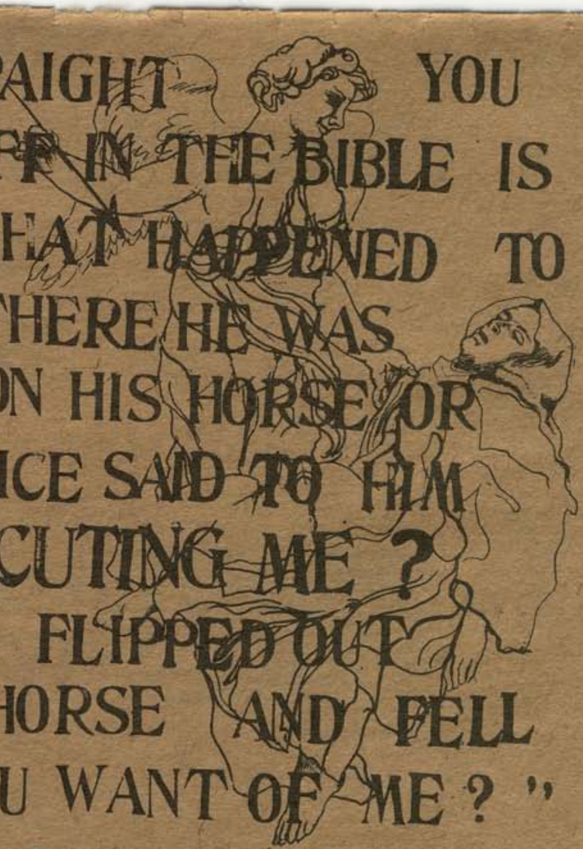
IN CONTACT.


BELDING
CORTICELLI
600 YDS
SIZE 50
BEL-WAXED
MERCERIZED COTTON

THOSE OF LITTLE FAITH
NEED LONG FINGERNAILS AND LONG HAIR
TO BELIEVE ITS HAPPENING
"LEST YE SEE MIRACLES
YE WILL NOT BELIEVE"
SAID OUR BUDDY


TALL
SAUL
AND THE
ASTRALS





EVERYTHING HE SAID WAS STRAIGHT YOU UNDERSTAND ? ALL THAT STUFF IN THE BIBLE IS REALLY STRAIGHT. LOOK WHAT HAPPENED TO SAUL OF TARSUS (FOR GODS SAKE) THERE HE WAS RIDING ALONG ON THE DESERT ON HIS HORSE OR CAMEL OR SOMETHING AND A VOICE SAID TO HIM

WHY ARE YOU PERSECUTING ME ?

(HE WAS OUT IN THE HOT SUN AND YOU KNOW...) HE FLIPPED OUT HE WENT FLYING OFF HIS HORSE AND FELL ON THE GROUND WHAT DO YOU WANT OF ME ? ”

START MY CHURCH !

“GO TO THE NEXT TOWN AND YOULL BE INSTRUCTED” THATS WHAT HE HEARD AND HE WENT THE WHOLE TRIP AND THATS AN ASTRAL TRIP. A VERY GROOVY ASTRAL TRIP.

& THAT'S WHAT THE BIBLE IS:
AN ASTRAL STORY
A VERY GROOVY ASTRAL STORY
.....AT ONE LEVEL

I CAN FEEL
THE HORROR IN SOMEBODY
HE'S SAYING.....
HE'S SAYING.....

IT'S A GOOD ASTRAL STORY
BUT ILLUSIONS ARE ILLUSIONS

IT'S
HERE

IN THE SOUND OF THE TAMBOURA
IN SOUND.....

IN THE BEGINNING WAS

THE
WORD

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READY

IT'S A COMBINATION OF THINGS THAT MAKE YOU READY TO SEE THE GURU. THERE ARE MANY PEOPLE WHO COME TO SEE MAHARAJ-JI AND THEY JUST SEE A LITTLE OLD MAN WITH A BLANKET.

CAN YOU IMAGINE THE HORROR?

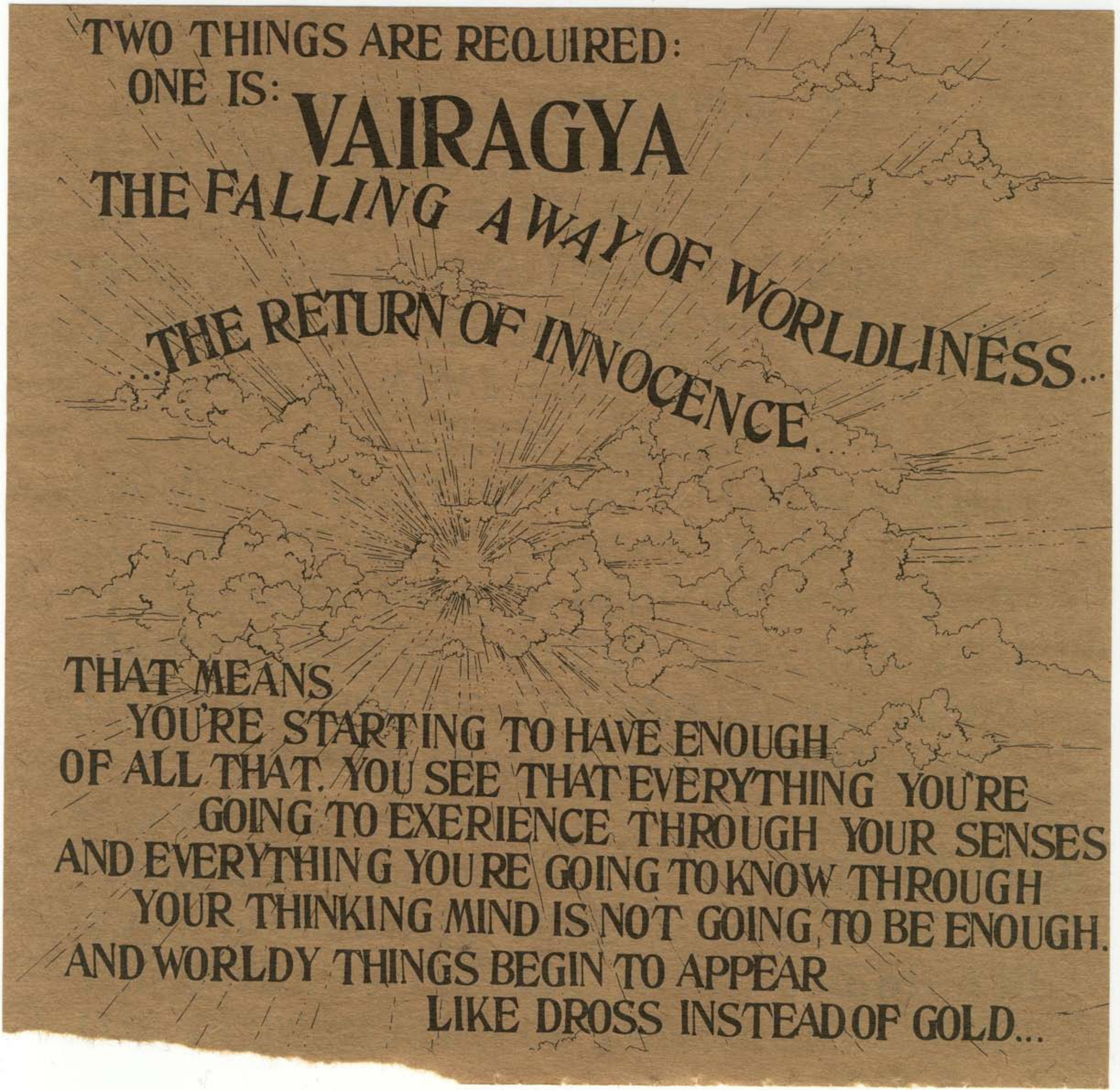
THIS HAPPENED TO TWO PEOPLE WHO HEARD ME & FIGURED OUT WHERE THE GURU MUST BE THROUGH LOGICAL DEDUCTION & WENT TO INDIA & WENT RUSHING TO HIS FEET & FOUND A LITTLE OLD MAN IN A BLANKET

WHO THREW THEM OUT

IMAGINE WHAT THAT MUST FEEL LIKE!

BECAUSE YOU CAN SEE THE DIFFERENCE IN THEIR MINDS & WHAT IT WAS THEY HAD A MODEL OF– THE MODEL WAS WHAT THEY SEARCHED FOR

IT WAS THEIR OWN THOUGHT PROCESS WHICH KEPT THEM FROM SEEING

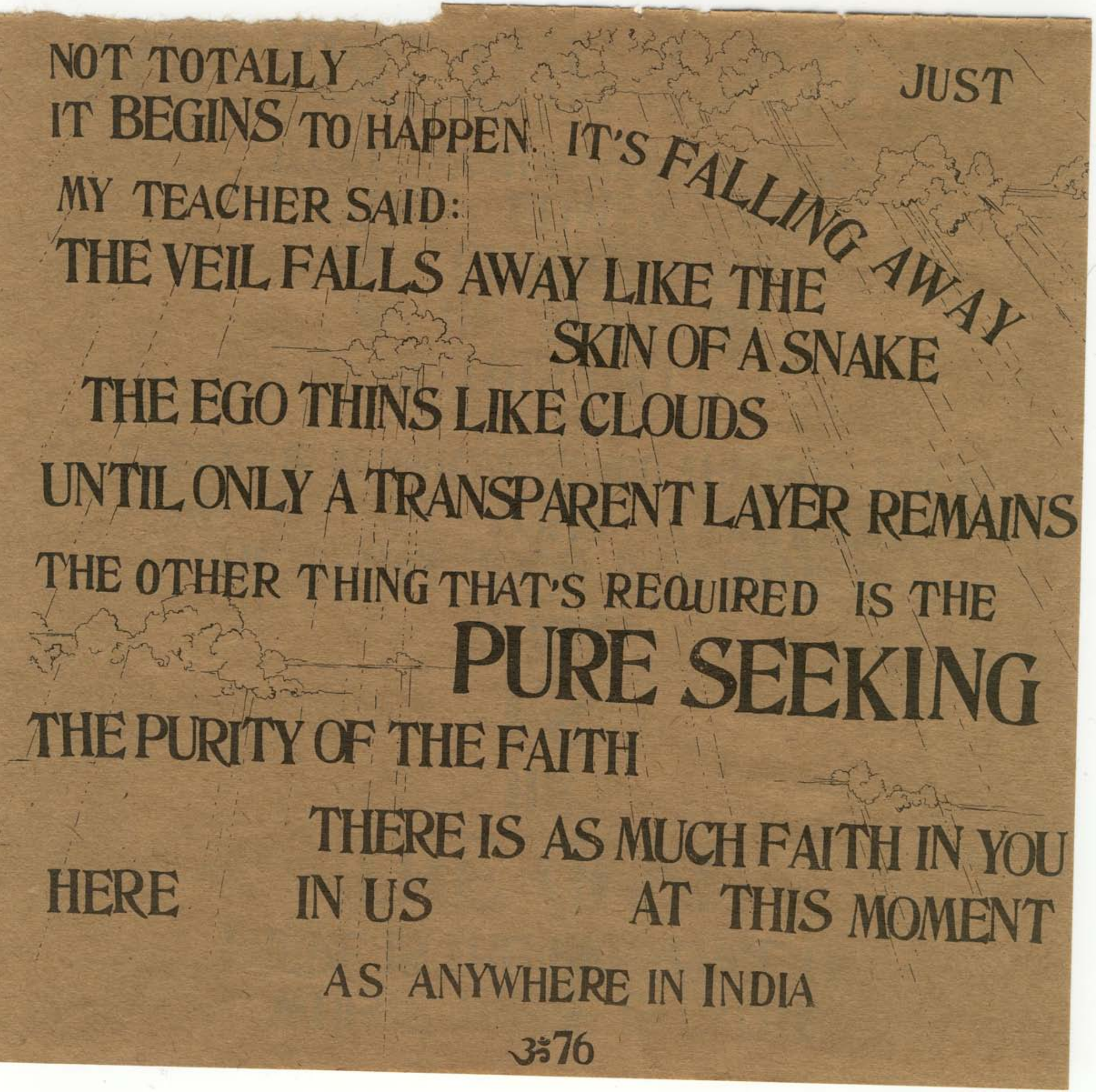


TWO THINGS ARE REQUIRED:
ONE IS:

VAIRAGYA

THE FALLING AWAY OF WORLDLINESS...
...THE RETURN OF INNOCENCE...

THAT MEANS
YOU'RE STARTING TO HAVE ENOUGH
OF ALL THAT. YOU SEE THAT EVERYTHING YOU'RE
GOING TO EXERIENCE THROUGH YOUR SENSES
AND EVERYTHING YOU'RE GOING TO KNOW THROUGH
YOUR THINKING MIND IS NOT GOING TO BE ENOUGH.
AND WORLDY THINGS BEGIN TO APPEAR
LIKE DROSS INSTEAD OF GOLD...



NOT TOTALLY
JUST
IT BEGINS TO HAPPEN. IT'S FALLING AWAY
MY TEACHER SAID:
THE VEIL FALLS AWAY LIKE THE
SKIN OF A SNAKE
THE EGO THINS LIKE CLOUDS
UNTIL ONLY A TRANSPARENT LAYER REMAINS
THE OTHER THING THAT'S REQUIRED IS THE
PURE SEEKING
THE PURITY OF THE FAITH
THERE IS AS MUCH FAITH IN YOU
HERE IN US AT THIS MOMENT
AS ANYWHERE IN INDIA

WHERE THERE IS FAITH
THERE IS THE PRESENCE OF
THE GURU
HE
IS
IT ALL
HE IS ALL YOUR IMPURITIES
HE IS ALL YOUR CORRUPTION
THERE HE IS SMILING AT YOU THROUGH THEM
★ SAYING ★
& THIS TOO !
▲ HE SEES ▲
HE UNDERSTANDS
TOTAL COMPASSION
TOTAL COMPASSION MEANS
YOU ARE THE UNIVERSE

YOU ARE ALL FORM
YOU ARE THE BREATH
YOU ARE THE RIVER
YOU ARE THE VOID
YOU ARE THE DESIRE
TO BE ENLIGHTENED
YOU ARE ENLIGHTENED

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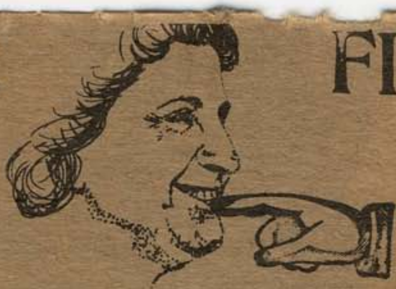
THAT'S WHO HE IS. THAT'S WHO, WHAT, A GURU IS.
SO ANY CONCEPT YOU CAN HAVE
OF ANY RELATION TO A GURU
OBVIOUSLY IS A HYPE
HOW CAN YOU RELATE TO SOMETHING
WHICH IS ALREADY YOU
& EVERYTHING YOU'VE EVER RELATED TO
OR COULD RELATE TO ....
HOW ARE YOU GOING TO TALK ABOUT IT ?
I MET HIM WHO ? WHAT ?
I'M GOING TO LOOK FOR THE GURU
HOW ABSURD !

YOU ARE IT

IT'S REALLY JUST ANOTHER COP-OUT
TO BE SEARCHING FOR THE GURU

HE'S YOUR FINGERNAIL
JUST BITE YOUR FINGERNAIL
& YOU'RE EATING HIM ALIVE



WHEN YOU KNOW HOW TO LISTEN

EVERYBODY IS THE GURU

SPEAKING TO YOU
IT'S RIGHT HERE.... ALWAYS

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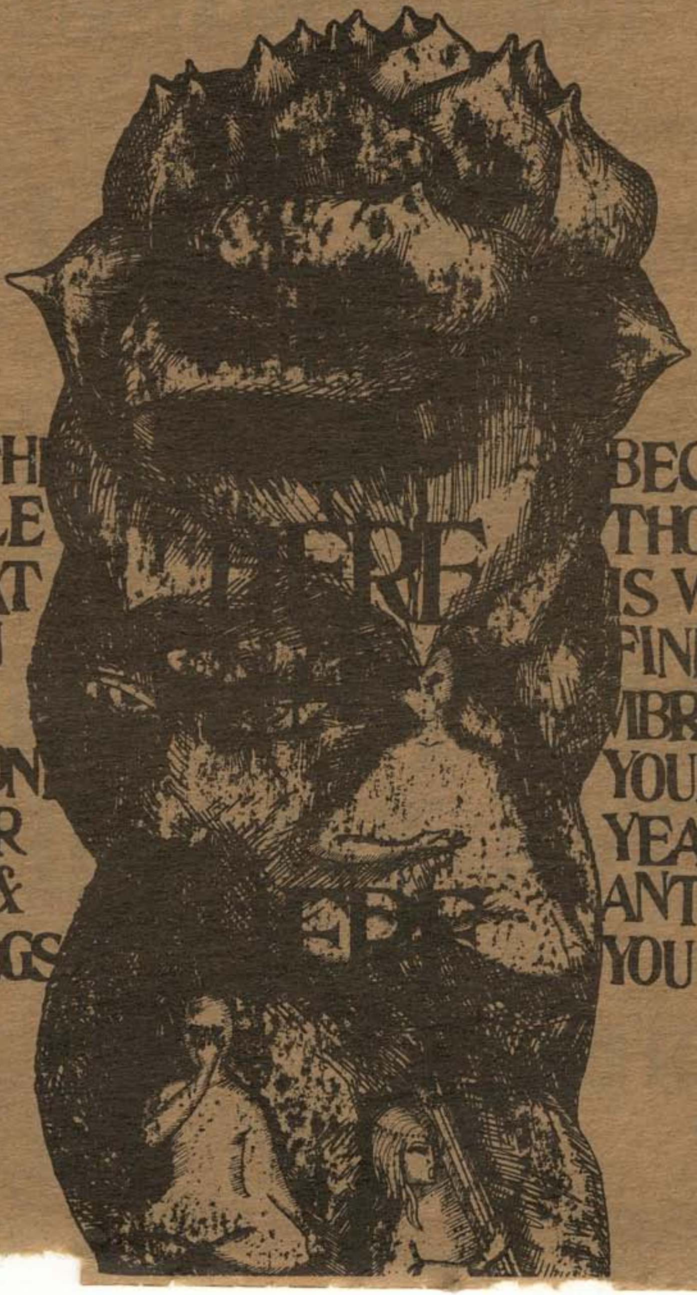
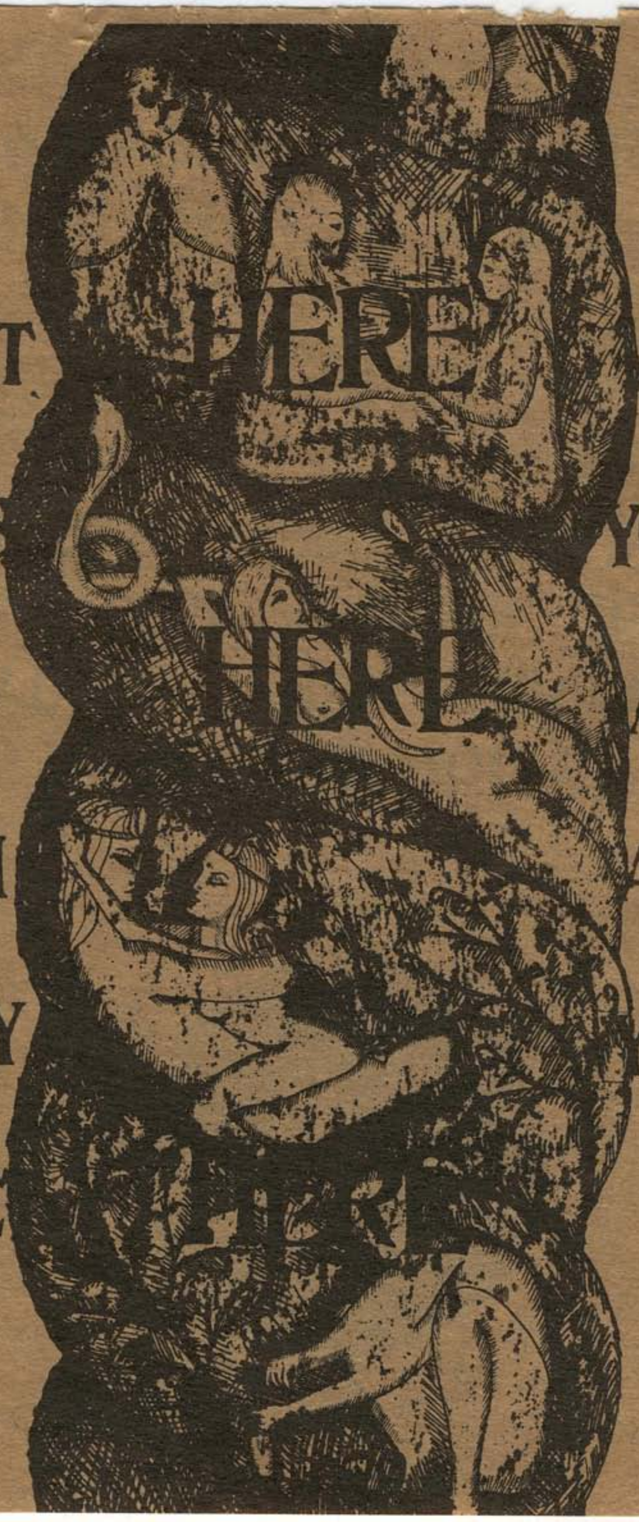
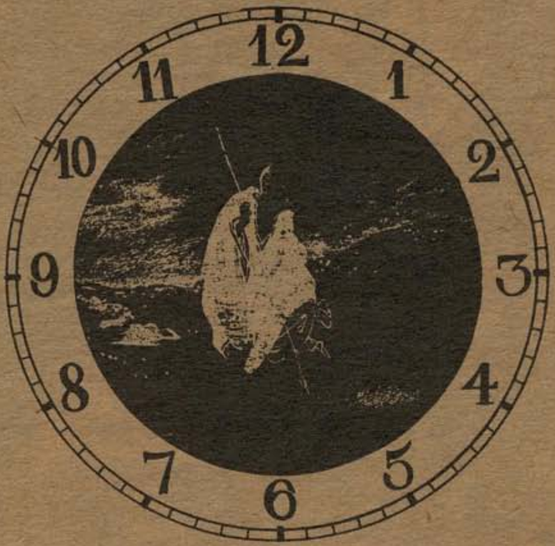
HERE & NOW



I KEEP DOING TH BECAUSE I DON'T
THINK PEOPLE THOROUGHLY GROK
THE FACT THAT IS WHERE IT ALL
IS. AFTER YOU FINISH THE WHOLE
THING & YOU'VE IBRATED YOUR SPINE
FOR YEARS & DON YOUR PRANAYAM &
MEDITATED FOR YEARS & YEARS &
SAT IN A CAVE & ANTS HAVE EATEN
YOUR ARMS & LEGS YOU ARE.



YOU'RE RIGHT HERE AGAIN........&
WHAT BLOWS YOUR MIND IS
YOU WERE HERE ALL THE TIME
& IT'S SUCH A COSMIC JOKE
IT'S SO FUNNY YOUR STRUGGLING SO TO GET HERE



AT THIS MOMENT IF YOU SET THE ALARM TO GET UP AT 3:47 THIS MORNING AND WHEN THE ALARM RINGS AND YOU GET UP AND TURN IT OFF AND SAY: WHAT TIME IS IT? YOU'D SAY: NOW

HERE!

NOW WHERE AM I? HERE!

❁ THEN GO BACK TO SLEEP ❁❁❁

GET UP AT 9:00 TOMORROW. WHERE AM I??

HERE! WHAT TIME IS IT? NOW!
TRY 4:32 THREE WEEKS FROM NEXT THURS.

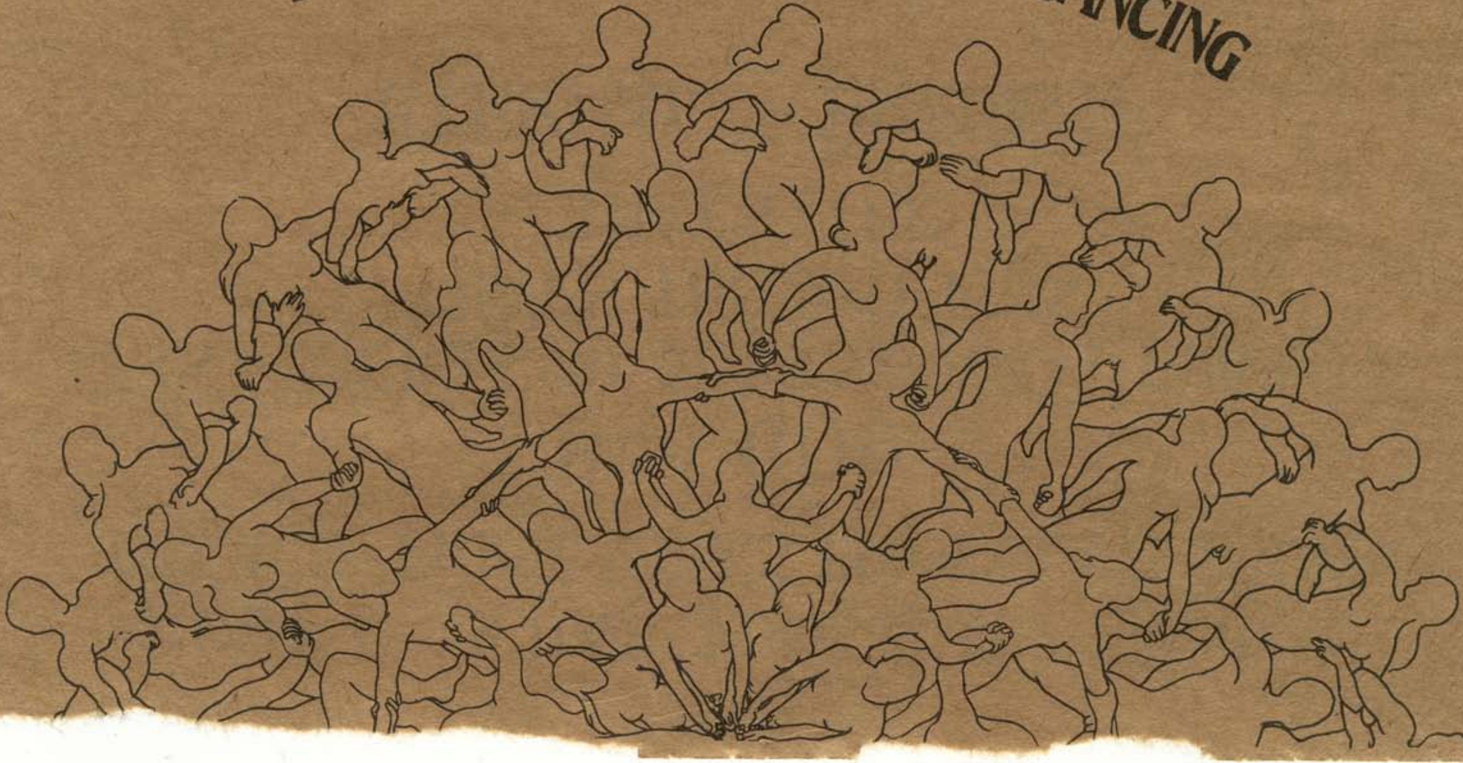
BY GOD
IT IS – THERE'S NO GETTING AWAY FROM IT –
THAT'S THE WAY IT IS
THAT'S THE

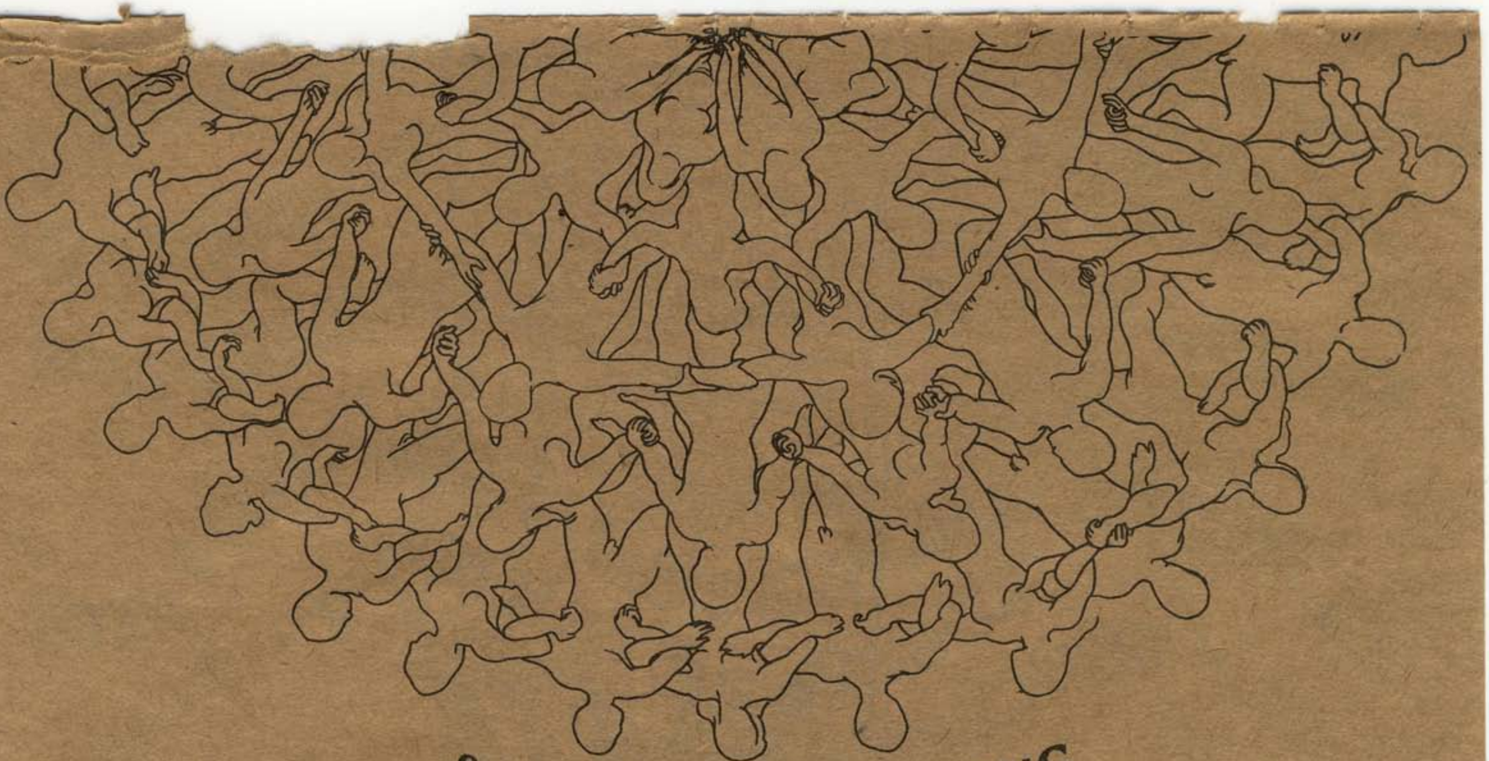
ETERNAL PRESENT

YOU FINALLY FIGURE OUT THAT IT'S
ONLY THE CLOCK THATS GOING AROUND....
IT'S DOING ITS THING BUT YOU – YOU'RE SITTING

HERE
RIGHT NOW
ALWAYS

NOBODY IS GOING ANYWHERE
NOBODY IS COMING FROM ANYWHERE
WE'RE ALL HERE
WE'RE ALL HERE
IN ETERNAL TIME & SPACE
WE'RE ALWAYS GOING TO BE HERE
WE'RE JUST DOING LILA RASA
THE DIVINE DANCE WE'RE DANCING





& DANCING & DANCING
DANCE AFTER
DANCE
IN ONE BODY
IN ANOTHER BODY
& WE'RE ALL HERE
WE'RE ALL STAYING RIGHT HERE
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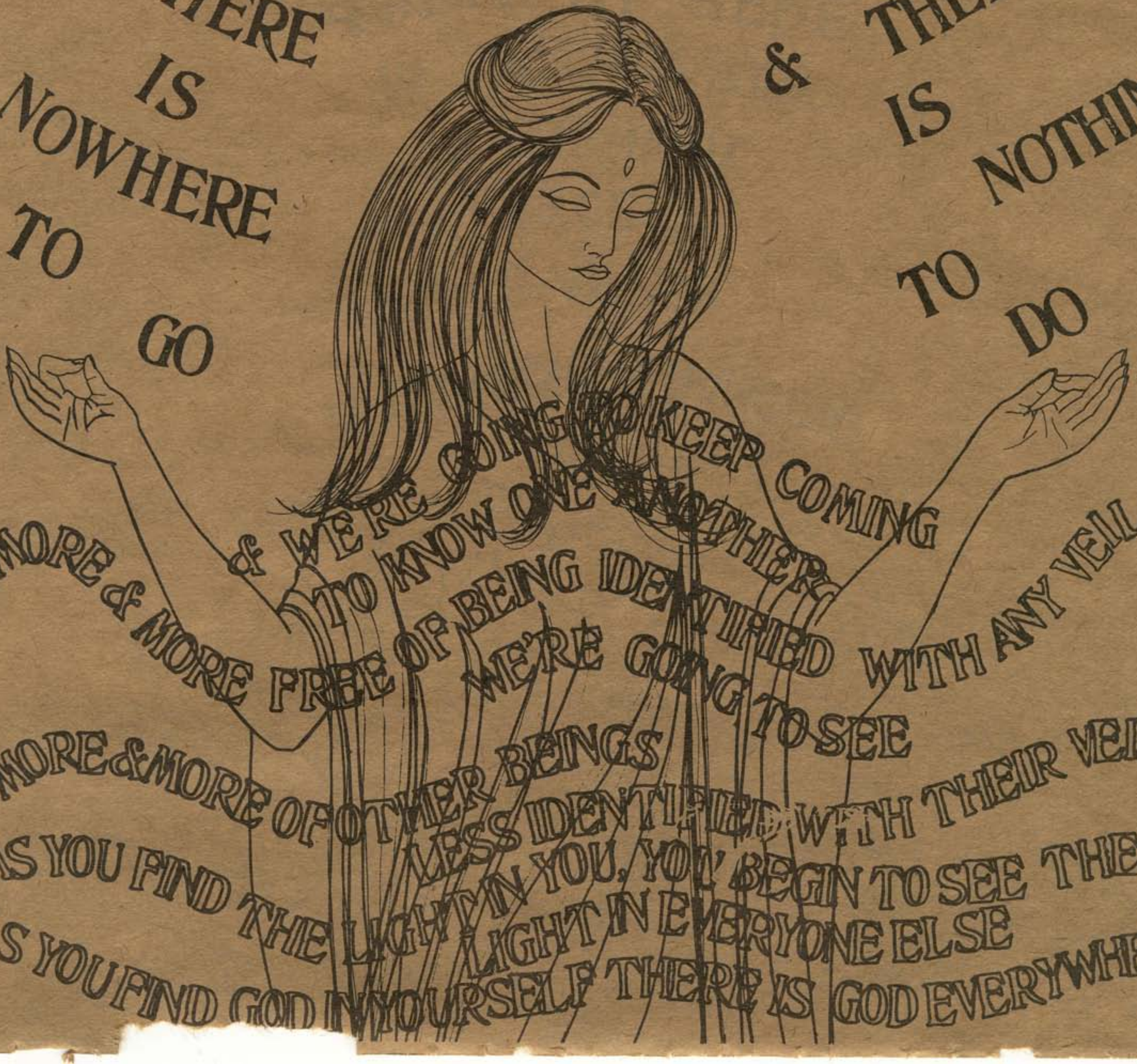
NOTHING TO DO



THERE IS NOWHERE TO GO

& THERE IS NOTHING TO DO

& WE'RE GOING TO KEEP COMING TO KNOW ONE ANOTHER

MORE & MORE FREE OF BEING IDENTIFIED WITH ANY VEIL

WE'RE GOING TO SEE

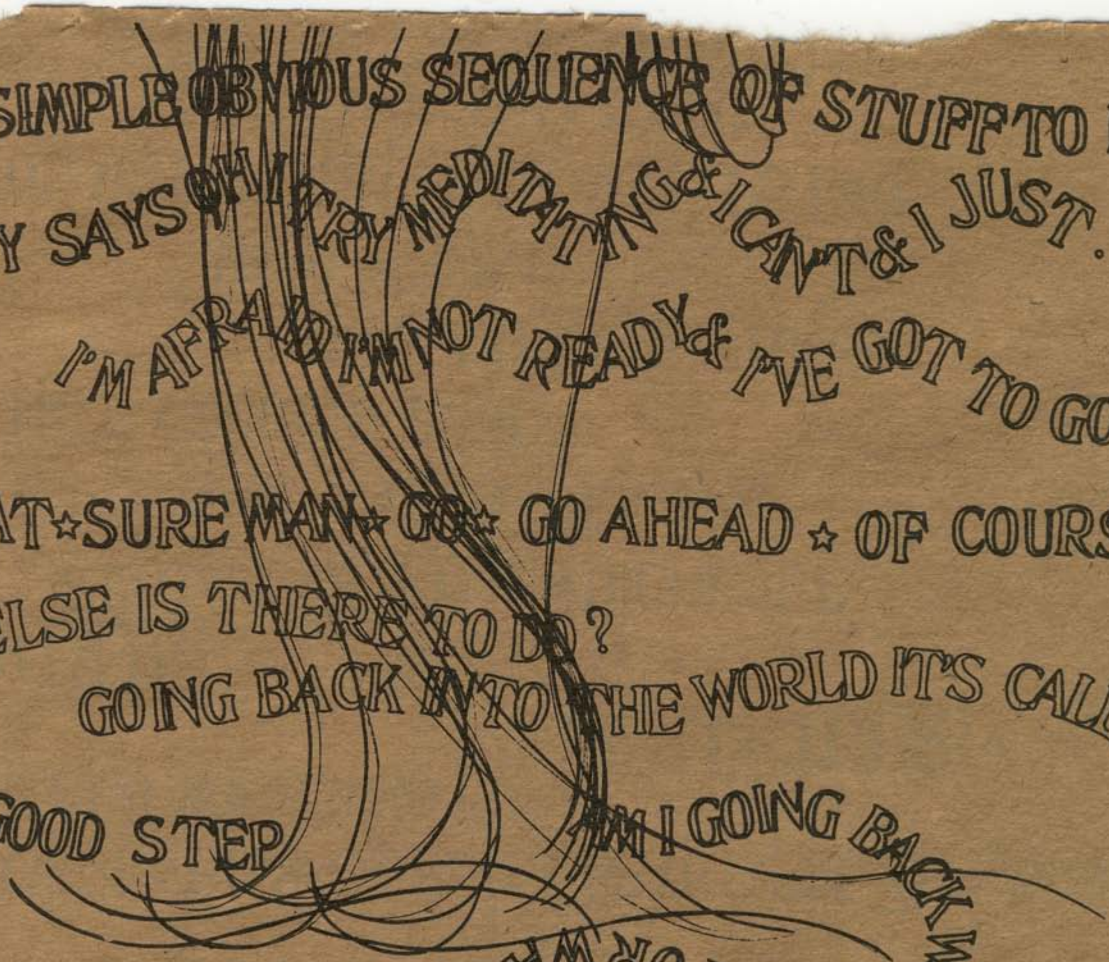
MORE & MORE OF OTHER BEINGS

LESS IDENTIFIED WITH THEIR VEILS

AS YOU FIND THE LIGHT IN YOU, YOU BEGIN TO SEE THE

LIGHT IN EVERYONE ELSE

AS YOU FIND GOD IN YOURSELF THERE IS GOD EVERYWHERE



SUCH A SIMPLE OBVIOUS SEQUENCE OF STUFF TO DO

SOMEBODY SAYS OH I TRY MEDITATING & I CAN'T & I JUST . . .

I'M AFRAID I'M NOT READY & I'VE GOT TO GO . . .

GREAT ☆ SURE MAN ☆ GO ☆ GO AHEAD ☆ OF COURSE

WHAT ELSE IS THERE TO DO?

GOING BACK INTO THE WORLD IT'S CALLED

IT'S A GOOD STEP

AM I GOING BACKWARD OR FORWARD?

I CAN'T DO EITHER OF THEM ☆ I CAN'T GO BACKWARD & I CAN'T GO FORWARD

AND I CAN'T STAND STILL 3:82 ALL OF IT IS IRRELEVANT

WE'RE ALL JUST CAUGHT IN THE DELUSION
ALL OF US CAUGHT IN THE
ILLUSION
BEING AWARE OF IT AS ILLUSION
AND YET SO MUCH IN IT!

IF YOU HAVE EVER WATCHED A BEAUTIFUL ZEN MONK,
A VERY OLD MONK WHO IS
REALLY THERE,
OR HERE,
REALLY HERE, WHICHEVER...
YOU WATCH HIM.....
HE'S COOKING FOOD
HE'S LIFTING STONES
HE'S MOVING
YOU WATCH HIM WALK AND ITS LIKE
NOBODY'S WALKING...

THE LEGS ARE GOING,
AND THE WHOLE THING IS HAPPENING BUT
NOTHING IS HAPPENING
NO MATTER
WHAT
IS HAPPENING!

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AND THATS WHAT BLOWS YOUR MIND WHEN WE GET OUT
OF THE KINDS OF HEADS WE'VE GOT GOING THAT
DON'T ALLOW US TO
REALLY UNDERSTAND
HOW THIS CAN BE.
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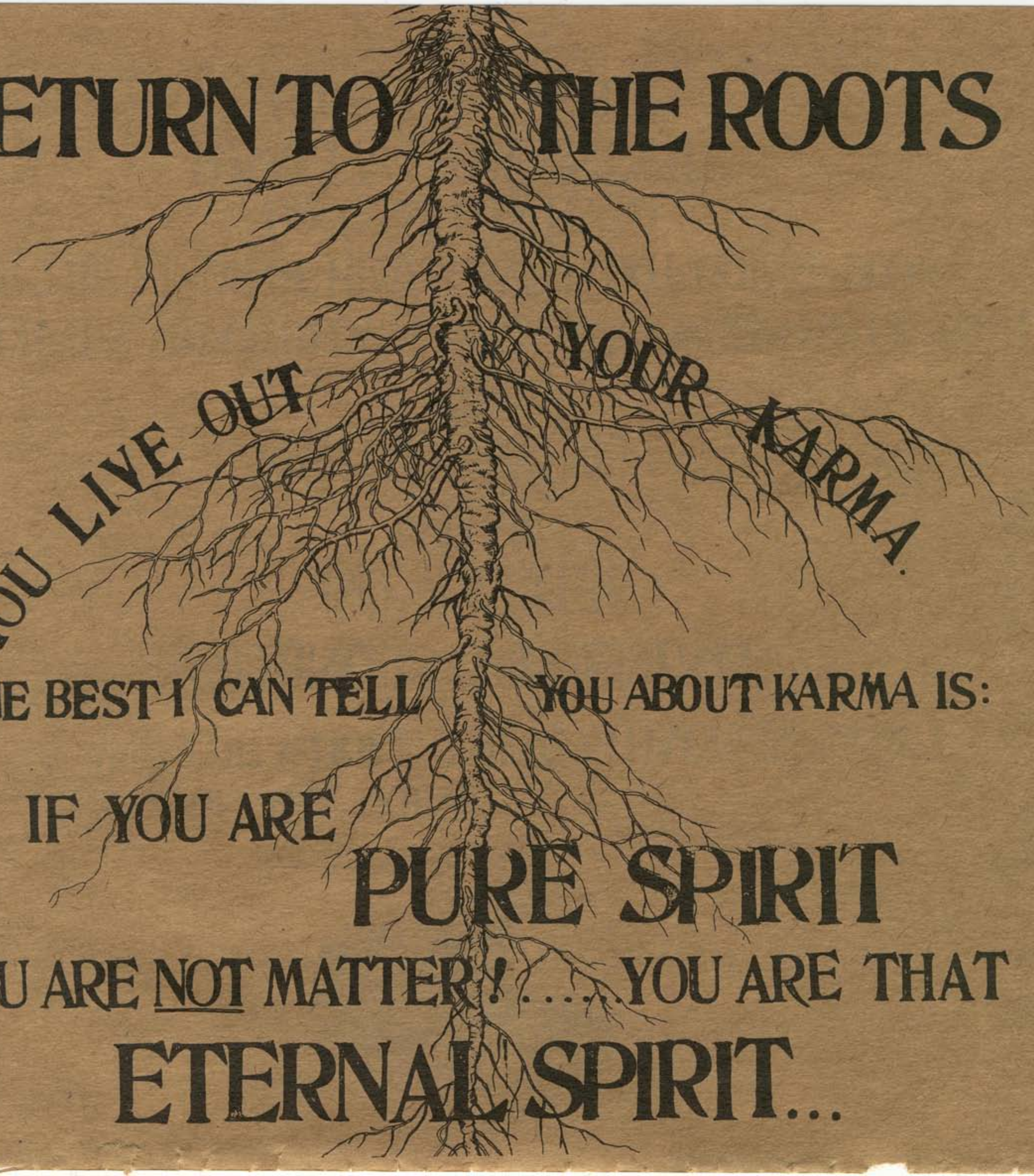


RETURN TO THE ROOTS

YOU LIVE OUT YOUR KARMA.

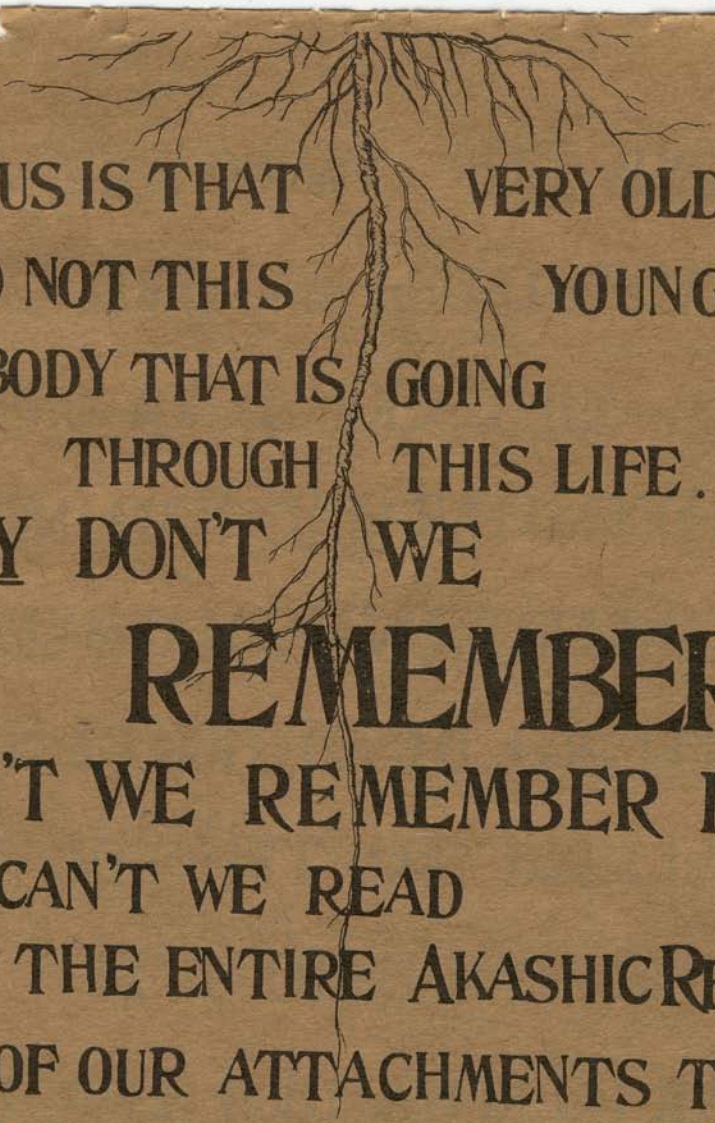
THE BEST I CAN TELL YOU ABOUT KARMA IS:

IF YOU ARE **PURE SPIRIT**

YOU ARE NOT MATTER! ..... YOU ARE THAT

ETERNAL SPIRIT...

WELL:

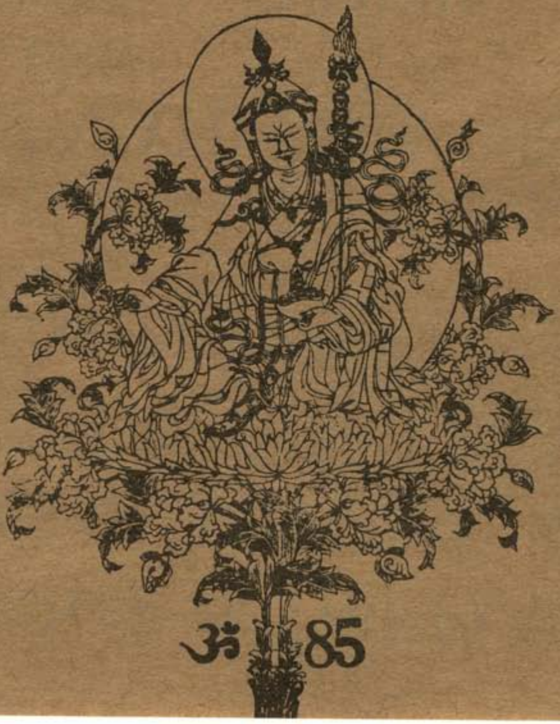


IF EACH OF US IS THAT VERY OLD BEING..
AND NOT THIS YOUNG BODY,
OR THIS BODY THAT IS GOING
THROUGH THIS LIFE...
WHY DON'T WE
REMEMBER?
WHY DON'T WE REMEMBER IT ALL ??
WHY CAN'T WE READ
THE ENTIRE AKASHIC RECORD ??

- BECAUSE OF OUR ATTACHMENTS TO
THE PHYSICAL PLANE OF REALITY...
- BECAUSE OF THE POWER OF OUR IDENTIFICATION
WITH OUR OWN BODY-SENSES
ॐ84 AND THOUGHTS.

IF YOU COULD GO INTO A MEDITATION ROOM
CLOSE UP YOUR EARS · SIT DOWN · CENTER
GO · IN · IN · IN · IN
FURTHER IN · OH MUCH FURTHER IN · OH YOU VE JUST BEGUN
KEEP GOING BACK IN
DON'T LINGER TO SMELL THE PRETTY SUNFLOWER
DON'T LINGER TO HOLD ON TO THE ECSTACY OF BLISS
KEEP GOING IN BEHIND THE SENSES · BEHIND YOUR THOUGHTS
AND IF YOU CAN GO BACK IN FAR ENOUGH YOU WILL SEE
EVERYTHING YOU'VE IDENTIFIED WITH "HIM"
YOU WILL SEE .... YOUR OWN PERSONALITY · YOUR OWN BODY
YOUR OWN LIFE DRAMA.... IT'S VERY AWESOME

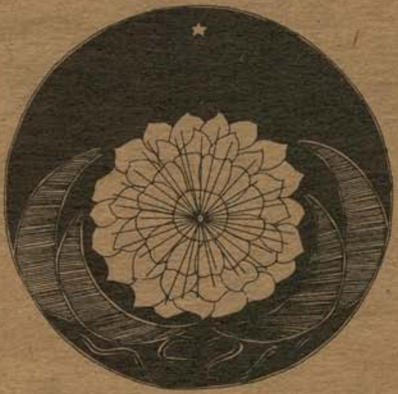
THE POINT IS WE HAVE GONE OUT & OUT & OUT
& WE HAVE SOUGHT & SOUGHT & FOUND MUCH
BUT IT HASN'T BEEN ENOUGH !
& NOW BY MERELY TURNING THE PROCESS INWARD
YOU GO IN & IN & IN
UNTIL YOU COME TO THE PLACE WHERE
GURU RIMPOCHE SITS



AND WHAT IS THIS PLACE?
HINDUS CALL IT THE ATMAN
AND WHAT IS THE ATMAN?
THE BHAGAVADAM, ONE OF THE HOLY BOOKS OF INDIA
SAYS:
THE ATMAN OR DIVINE SELF
IS SEPARATE FROM THE BODY
IT IS ONE
WITHOUT A SECOND
PURE, SELF-LUMINOUS
WITHOUT ATTRIBUTES
FREE
ALL-PERVADING
IT IS THE ETERNAL WITNESS
BLESSED IS HE WHO KNOWS THIS ATMAN
FOR, THOUGH AN EMBODIED BEING
HE SHALL BE FREE
FROM THE CHANGES AND QUALITIES

PERTAINING TO THE BODY

HE ALONE IS EVER UNITED WITH ME



THIS IS THE PLACE OF PURE BEING
THAT INNER PLACE WHERE YOU DWELL
YOU JUST BE. THERE IS NOTHING TO BE
DONE IN THAT PLACE. FROM THAT PLACE
THEN, IT ALL HAPPENS, IT MANIFESTS IN
PERFECT HARMONY WITH THE UNIVERSE.
BECAUSE YOU ARE THE LAWS OF THE UNIVERSE
YOU ARE THE LAWS OF THE UNIVERSE!

THIS IS WHAT MAN S JOURNEY
INTO CONSCIOUSNESS IS ALL ABOUT..
THIS IS **OM** (HOME)
ITS GOING **OM**
THIS IS THE **PLACE!**
BECOMING ONE WITH **GOD** RETURNING
IT'S THE RETURN TO THE ROOTS
THAT THE TAO TALKS ABOUT
IT IS

THE STILLNESS · THE CALMNESS · THE FULFILLMENT

WHEN YOU MAKE LOVE AND EXPERIENCE
THE ECSTACY OF UNITY...
THAT'S THE PLACE !
WHEN YOU EXPERIENCE A GREAT ACHIEVEMENT,
AND YOU FEEL A MOMENT OF EXHILARATION...
THAT'S THE PLACE !
WHEN YOU SEE A MOMENT OF POETRY IN A FLOWER
OR IN WORDS ◎ OR IN ART ◎ THE WAY ITS SUPPOSED TO BE..
THIS IS THE PLACE !

RIGHT HERE !

❁ IT'S BUDDHA CONSCIOUSNESS ❁
❁ IT'S CHRIST CONSCIOUSNESS ❁
JESUS SAYS:

I AND MY FATHER ARE ONE
WHEN BUDDHA SAYS:
YOU GIVE UP ATTACHMENT AND
YOU FINISH WITH THE ILLUSION
THIS IS THE PLACE !
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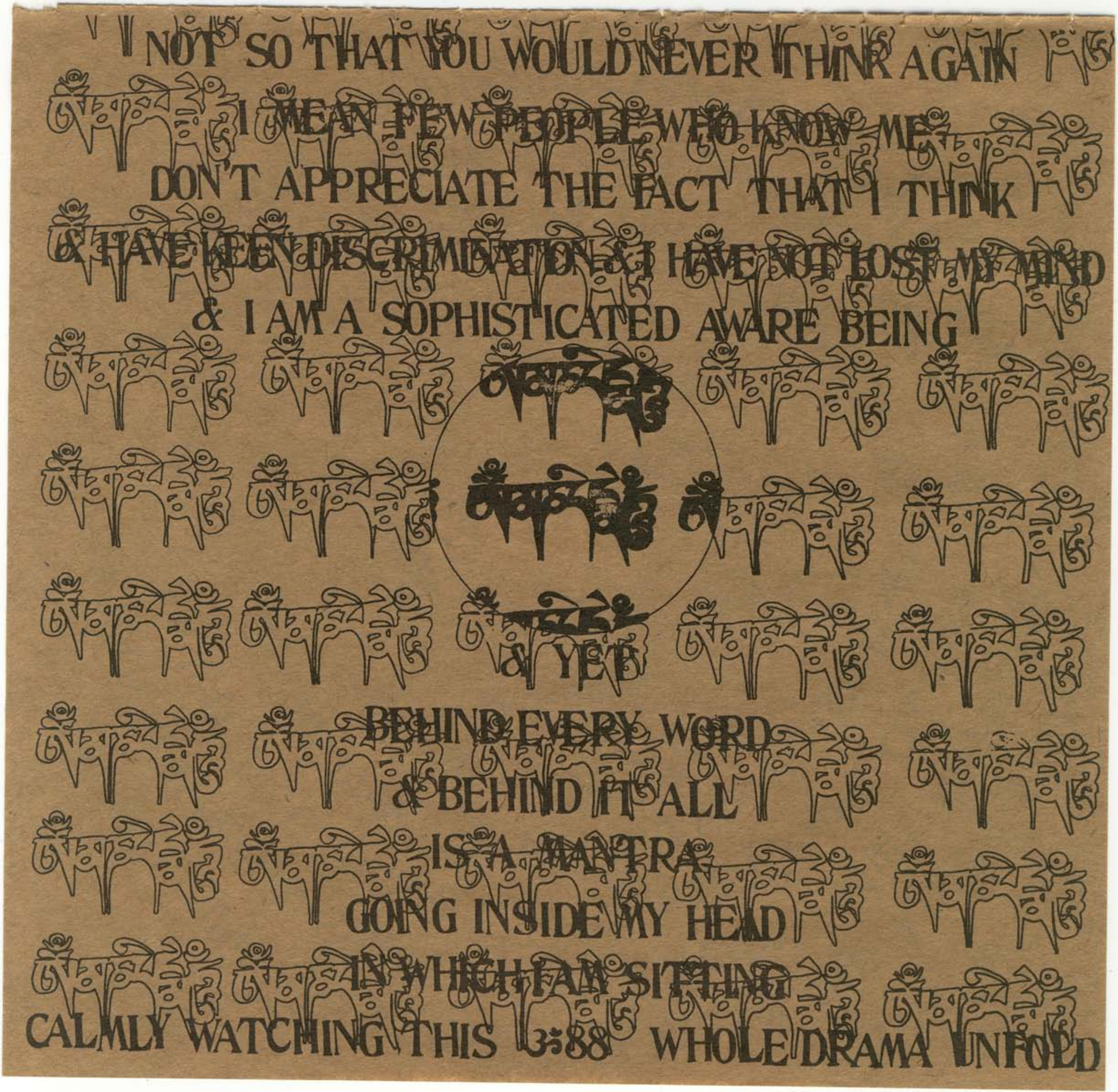
STILL
YOU DO YOUR THING
LIVE YOUR LIFE IN THE WORLD
THE WATER GOES ON DOWN THE STREAM
YOU CHOP THE WOOD AND CARRY THE WATER
YOU DO YOUR THING YOUR MIND DOES ITS THING
YOUR SENSES THEIR THING BUT
YOU
ARE NOT ATTACHED
BECAUSE YOU SAT IN FRONT OF THE CANDLE FLAME
UNTIL THERE WAS JUST YOU AND THE CANDLE FLAME
& THEN FINALLY
YOU EXTRICATED YOURSELF FROM THE ATTACHMENT
TO YOUR OWN THOUGHTS
TO THE TYRANNY OF THE "DRUNKEN MONKEY"
EVEN TO THE THOUGHTS OF I & CANDLE FLAME



NOT SO THAT YOU WOULD NEVER THINK AGAIN
I MEAN FEW PEOPLE WHO KNOW ME
DON'T APPRECIATE THE FACT THAT I THINK
& HAVE KEEN DISCRIMINATION & I HAVE NOT LOST MY MIND
& I AM A SOPHISTICATED AWARE BEING
& YET
BEHIND EVERY WORD
& BEHIND IT ALL
IS A MANTRA
GOING INSIDE MY HEAD
IN WHICH I AM SITTING
CALMLY WATCHING THIS 3:88 WHOLE DRAMA UNFOLD

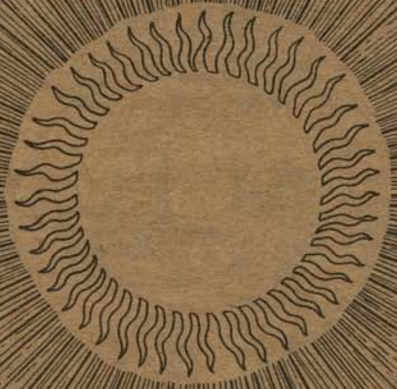
MY THINKING MIND IS A PERFECT SERVANT AND A LOUSY MASTER

I AM WATCHING HE-WHO-SPEAKS ★ I AM WATCHING THEY-WHO-LISTEN ★

I AM WATCHING THINKING ★ THOUGHTS ARE CLOUDS ★

THE ENTIRE PROCESS FROM THIS PLACE INSIDE

IS ALWAYS CALM



A PLACE IN WHICH THE FLAME NEVER FLICKERS.

AND AS I LEARN TO LIVE IN THIS ETERNALLY CALM PLACE

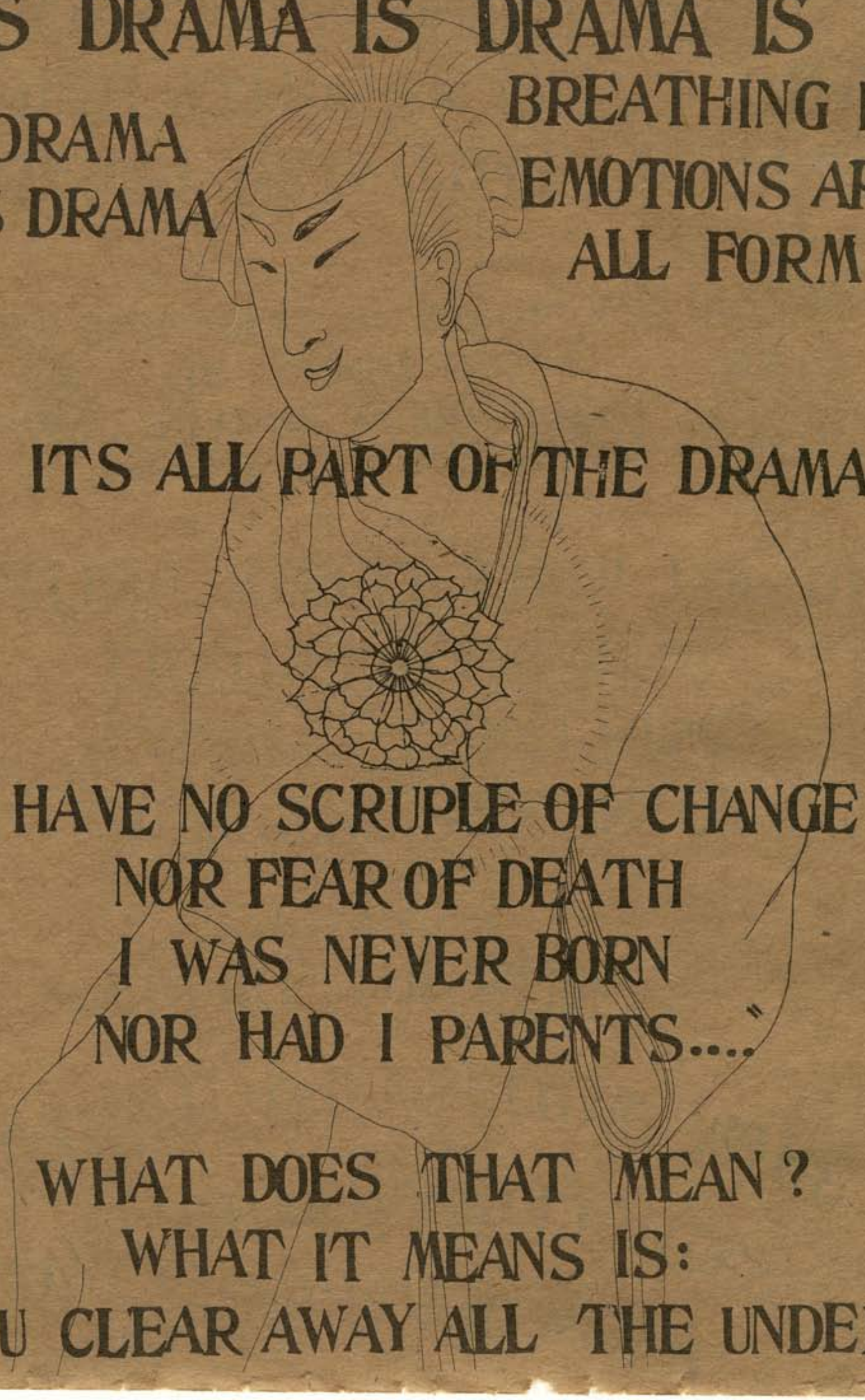
IT GETS DEEPER AND DEEPER AND CALMER AND CALMER AND CALMER

AND WISER AND WISER
AND LIGHTER AND LIGHTER
AND I AM MORE LOVE AND I BECOME MORE AND MORE
LIKE THE SUN

JUST THE PROCESS OF
CALMING, CENTERING
CENTERING, CALMING
EXTRICATING MYSELF FROM THE DRAMA ★

SO LONG AS ONE FEELS
THAT HE IS THE DOER
HE CANNOT ESCAPE
FROM THE WHEEL OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

THIS DOESN'T MEAN THAT I'M LYING IN
BED DOING NOTHING ★ THAT'S DRAMA
★ AS MUCH AS THIS BOOK IS DRAMA ★★★



DRAMA IS DRAMA IS DRAMA IS DRAMA

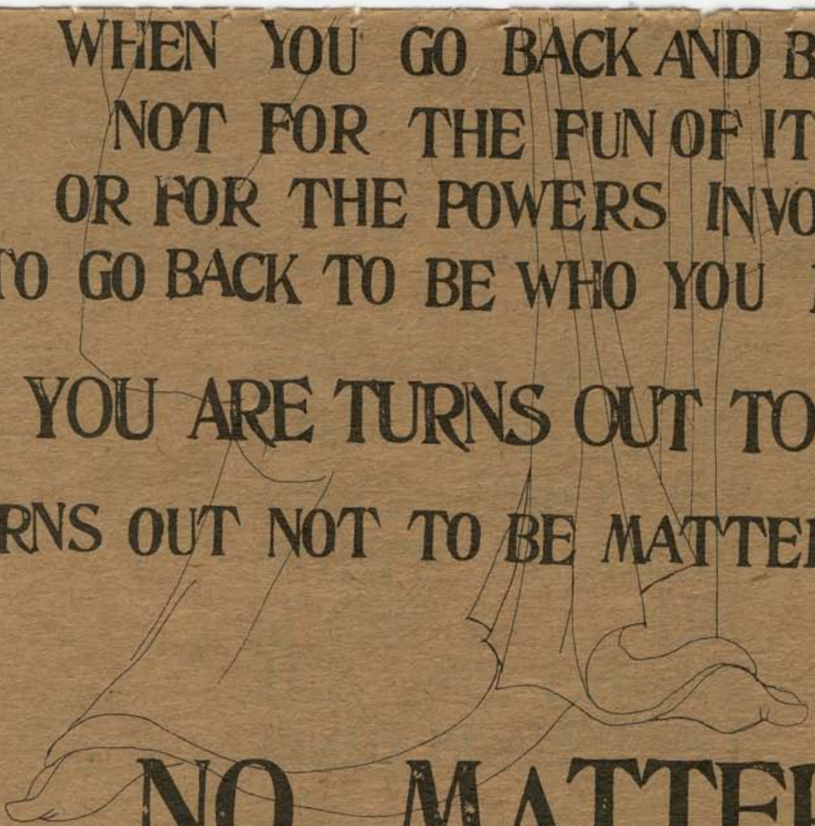
DESIRE IS DRAMA
THOUGHT IS DRAMA

BREATHING IS DRAMA
EMOTIONS ARE DRAMA
ALL FORM IS DRAMA

ITS ALL PART OF THE DRAMA

"I HAVE NO SCRUPLE OF CHANGE
NOR FEAR OF DEATH
I WAS NEVER BORN
NOR HAD I PARENTS...."

WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?
WHAT IT MEANS IS:
WHEN YOU CLEAR AWAY ALL THE UNDERBRUSH



WHEN YOU GO BACK AND BACK
NOT FOR THE FUN OF IT
OR FOR THE POWERS INVOLVED
BUT TO GO BACK TO BE WHO YOU REALLY ARE

WHO YOU ARE TURNS OUT TO BE SPIRIT

TURNS OUT NOT TO BE MATTER AT ALL

NO MATTER
NEVER MIND
NO MIND
NEVER MATTER

EITHER WAY IT WORKS

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ROUND TRIP

MIND CREATES MATTER. THE CAUSAL PLANE IS THE WORLD OF IDEAS THAT CREATES THE UNIVERSE RIGHT AT THE TOP OF THE CAUSAL PLANE IS WHAT WE CALL THE GODHEAD ITS THE FIRST PLACE INTO THE UNIVERSE OF FORM ITS THE FIRST WORLD OF FORM ITS THE PLACE WHERE THE MIND THAT IS GOD MANIFESTED INTO THE UNIVERSE HIS

THOUGHT MANIFESTED INTO ALL THE LOWER LEVELS
OF THE CAUSAL PLANE ALL THE ASTRAL PLANES AND THE
PHYSICAL PLANE AND WHEN YOU GO BACK BACK BACK
YOU GO TO THAT PLACE WHERE YOU BECOME ONE WITH THE
GODHEAD YOU ARE
GOD YOU ARE THE ID
EA THAT LIES BEHIND
THE UNIVERSE YOU
ARE LITERALLY IT
YOURE NOT MAKING
BELIEVE YOURE IT
YOU ARE IT

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AND THE FUNNY THING IS
YOU'RE STILL NOT FINISHED
AND AS FAR AS THE BUDDHIST IS CONCERNED
YOU HAVEN'T EVEN BEGUN THE TRIP
YOU'RE STILL HUNG UP ON FORM

BECAUSE HE SAYS
BABY
IT'S ALL ILLUSION
NO MATTER HOW
GROOVY IT GETS
THE PHYSICAL PLANE
IS OBVIOUSLY
AN ILLUSION
ALL A DREAM
YOU GO TO BED
AT NIGHT
AND DREAM

YOU NOTICE
ABOUT YOUR DREAMS
THEY'RE VERY REAL
AND YET THEY DON'T
HAVE ANY SUBSTANCE
ON THE
PHYSICAL PLANE
THAT'S THE
ASTRAL PLANE
YOU'RE DREAMING
ON THE ASTRAL PLANE

AT THE POINT
OF PURE IDEAS
SOMETIMES VERY HIGH
PHYSICISTS OR POETS
TOUCH PURE IDEA
SOMETIMES MUSIC, ART,
A VASE, A HEIROGLYPH
OR SOMETHING
GETS SO ESSENCY
YOU FEEL
YOU ARE TOUCHING
GOD

BY BEING
IN CONNECTION WITH
THAT PIECE OF ART
BECAUSE IT'S PURE IDEA
IT'S THE IDEA
OF VASENESS
IT'S CAUSAL PLANE
THE MIND
AT THE CAUSAL PLANE
CREATED THAT VASE
THAT PLACE OF PURE
IDEA

IT'S THE PLACE WHERE YIN AND YANG MANIFEST
IT'S THE PLACE WHERE DUALITY EXISTS THE FIRST PLACE
INTO FORM FROM THE IMMANENT DUALITY IN THE UNMANIFEST
FROM THE FORMLESS YOU COME INTO THAT PLACE WHERE
THERE IS ENERGY BECOMING FORM

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IN ORDER TO BECOME
A FULLY REALIZED BEING
YOU MUST DELIGHT IN THE EXQUISITENESS
AT EVERY SINGLE LEVEL
YOU MUST TAKE JOY
IN YOUR MALENESS
OR FEMALENESS
AT THE SAME MOMENT THAT YOU REALIZE
THAT YOU ARE BOTH MALE & FEMALE
IT'S THAT FAR OUT!

BUT THEN YOU GO THROUGH
THE FINAL DOOR
AND YOU GO FROM

FORM

INTO

THE FORMLESS

INTO THE VOID
INTO THE BEYOND THE BEYOND
WHEN YOU HAVE CROSSED
THE OCEAN OF SAMSKARA
THE OCEAN OF ILLUSION
THE OCEAN OF ATTACHMENT
CALL IT WHAT YOU WILL
IT'S THE SAME OCEAN
WHEN YOU HAVE CROSSED
THROUGH ALL FORM
YOU ENTER THE STATE OF
FORMLESSNESS
IT IS ETERNALLY QUIET
IT IS ETERNALLY QUIET
IT NEVER WAS

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"PUSH FAR ENOUGH INTO THE VOID
HOLD FAST ENOUGH TO QUIETNESS
AND OF THE TEN THOUSAND THINGS
NON BUT CAN BE WORKED ON BY YOU
I HAVE BEHELD THEM WITHER THEY GO BACK
SEE ALL THINGS HOWSOEVER THEY FLOURISH
RETURN TO THE ROOTS FROM WHICH THEY GREW

THIS RETURN TO THE ROOTS IS CALLED
QUIETNESS
QUIETNESS IS CALLED
SUBMISSION TO FATE
WHAT HAS SUBMITTED TO FATE
BECOMES PART OF THE
ALWAYS SO
TO KNOW THE ALWAYS SO IS TO BE
ILLUMINED
NOT TO KNOW IT
MEANS TO GO BLINDLY TO DISASTER"

SO SAYS LAO TZU IN THE TAO TE CHING

TO GO YOU'VE GOT TO GO THE WHOLE TRIP
ALL THE WAY TO THE BACK
BEFORE YOU GET TO THE PLACE
WHERE YOU SEE THAT BEHIND ALL THIS
THERE IS ALL THIS IN ITS
OM
IN ITS UNMANIFEST FORM
ALWAYS
ETERNALLY
YOU PERCEIVE THAT
NOTHING
IS REALLY HAPPENING AT ALL
NOTHING
EVER HAPPENS
NOTHING
IS GOING TO HAPPEN
THERE'S
NOTHING
YOU'VE GOT TO DO
THERE'S NO DOER
TO DO IT ANYWAY

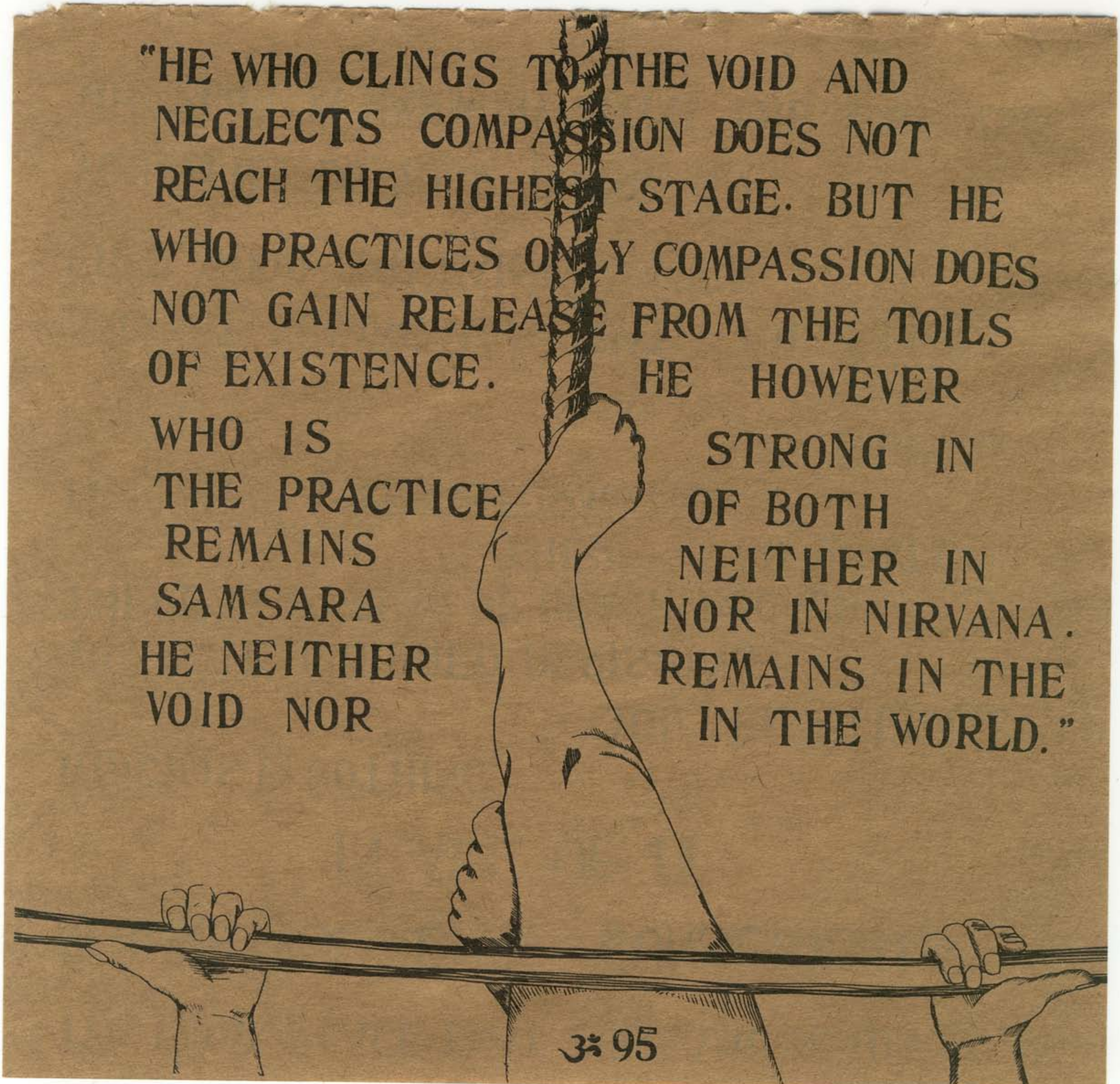
AND THEN: YOU'RE IN THE VOID
THEN THE BUDDHA NATURE SEES
THERE ARE MANY BEINGS WHOSE VEILS
ARE VERY THIN AND YOU CAN COME BACK
AND TEACH THEM THROUGH YOUR BEING
THAT'S THE BODHISATTVA ROLE. BECAUSE
YOU FINALLY UNDERSTAND THAT: THOUGH
IT IS ALL ILLUSION...IT NEVER WAS AND
NEVER WILL BE... AT EVERY LEVEL AT WHICH
YOU EXIST YOU'RE PART OF EVERYBODY ELSE.
BECAUSE: IT'S ALL ONE BEING

REALLY!

THAT'S THE BODHISATTVA PROBLEM.
SO: WHAT HAPPENS IS:
YOU GO ALL THE WAY OUT
AND THEN YOU COME BACK TO

HERE

"HE WHO CLINGS TO THE VOID AND NEGLECTS COMPASSION DOES NOT REACH THE HIGHEST STAGE. BUT HE WHO PRACTICES ONLY COMPASSION DOES NOT GAIN RELEASE FROM THE TOILS OF EXISTENCE. HE HOWEVER WHO IS STRONG IN THE PRACTICE OF BOTH REMAINS NEITHER IN SAMSARA NOR IN NIRVANA. HE NEITHER REMAINS IN THE VOID NOR IN THE WORLD."



THE FINAL PLACE THAT THE GAME LEADS TO IS:

WHERE YOU LIVE CONSCIOUSLY
IN ALL OF IT

WHICH IS IN NOTHING
YOU ARE ETERNAL
YOU HAVE FINISHED PERISHING
THERE IS NO FEAR OF DEATH BECAUSE
THERE IS NO DEATH
IT S JUST A TRANSFORMATION
AN ILLUSION

AND YET, SEEING ALL THAT, YOU STILL
CHOP WOOD AND CARRY WATER.

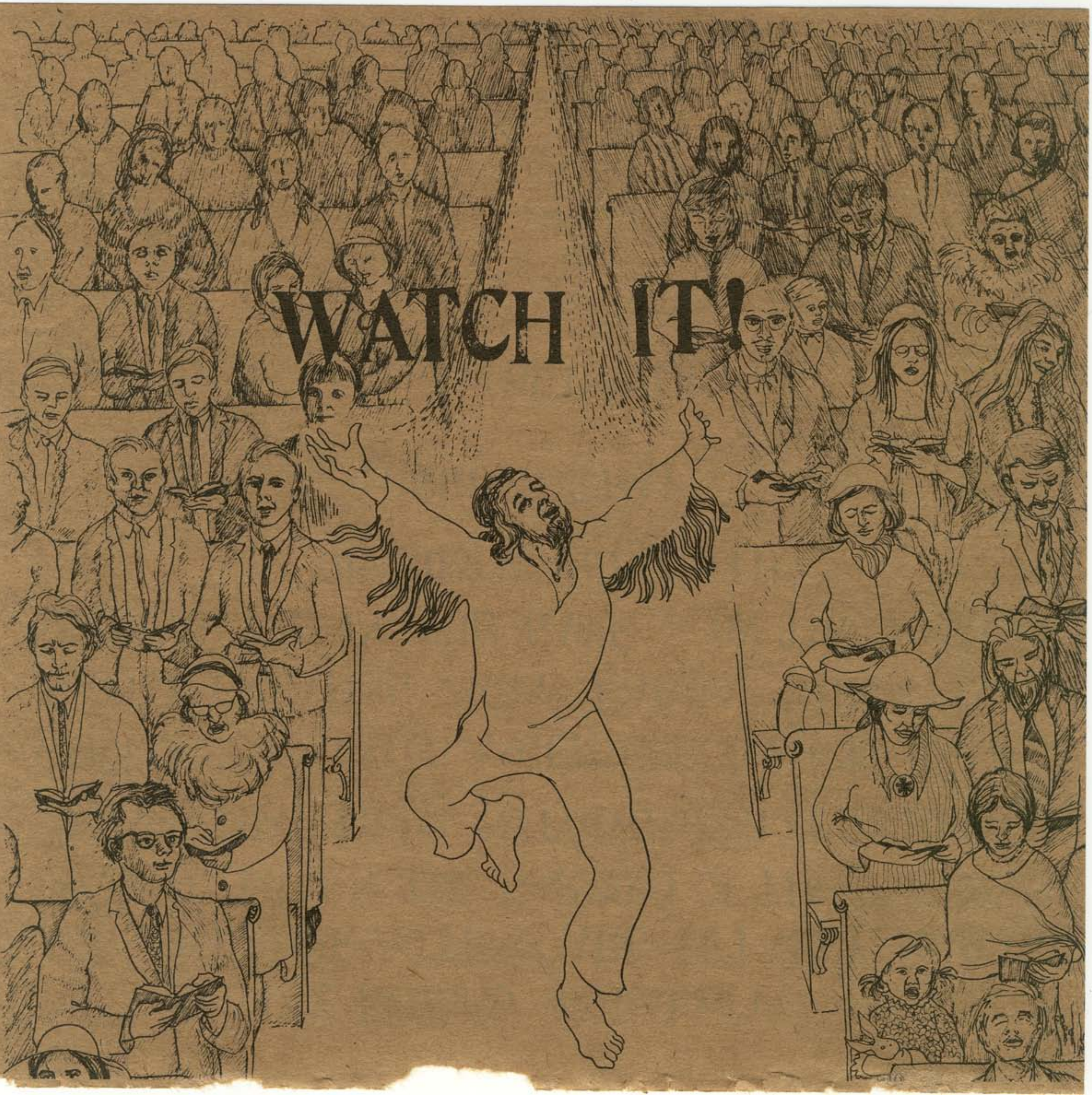
YOU STILL DO YOUR THING.

YOU FLOW IN HARMONY WITH THE UNIVERSE.

YOU ARE BEYOND MORALITY
AND YET YOUR ACTIONS ARE TOTALLY MORAL
BECAUSE THAT'S THE HARMONY OF THE UNIVERSE.
YOU SEE THAT TO DO ANYTHING WITH ATTACHMENT.
WITH DESIRE... WITH ANGER..GREED..LUST...FEAR..
IS ONLY CREATING MORE KARMA, WHICH IS
KEEPING YOU IN THE GAME... ON THE WHEEL
OF BIRTH AND DEATH

ONCE YOU SEE THROUGH THAT...

DESIRES CAN'T HELP BUT FALL AWAY


WATCH IT!

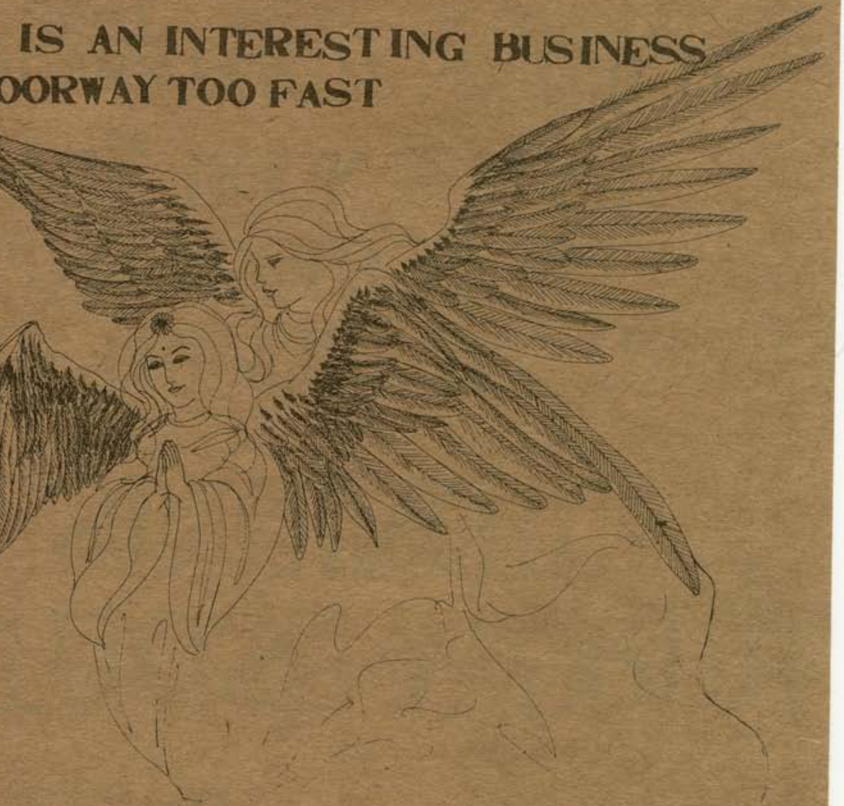
BUT AT FIRST WHEN YOU
SEE-
YOU WANT TO RUN DOWN THE STREETS
SHOUTING-
SPREADING THE GOOD NEWS-
RUN DOWN THE AISLES OF CHURCHES,
YELLING:

LISTEN TO THOSE WORDS
YOU'RE SINGING!!

IT'S REALLY HERE! THEY'RE ALL TRUE!
YOU'RE SINGING ABOUT IT ALL
"JUST LIKE THE BOOK SAYS"!

DON'T BE PSYCHOTIC: WATCH IT. WATCH IT.

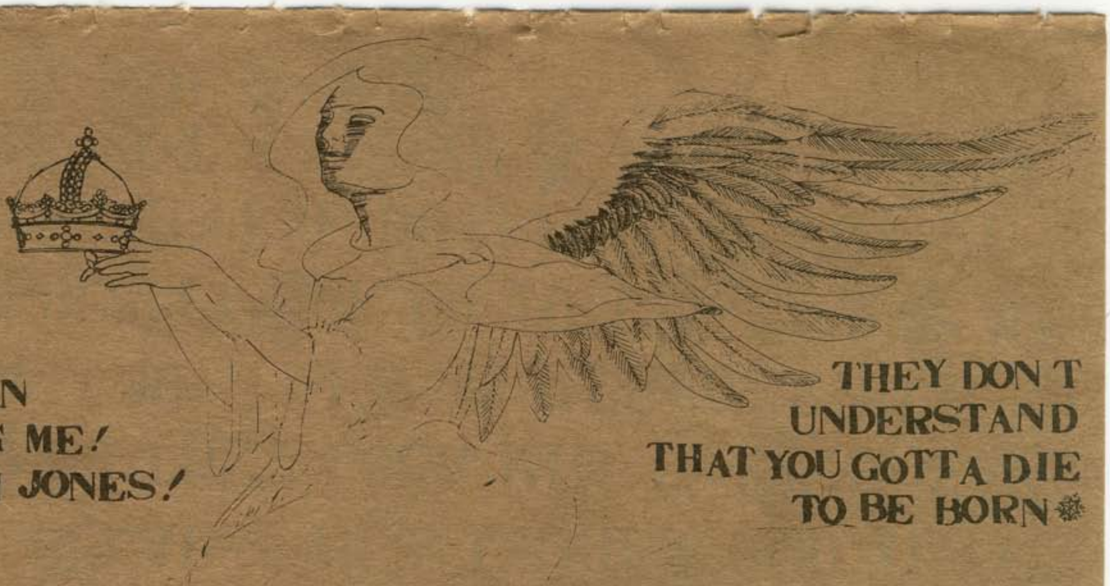
THAT PSYCHOSIS BUSINESS IS AN INTERESTING BUSINESS
IF YOU GO THROUGH THE DOORWAY TOO FAST
AND YOU'RE NOT READY
FOR IT YOU'RE BOUND HAND
AND FOOT AND THROWN INTO
OUTER DARKNESS ✻

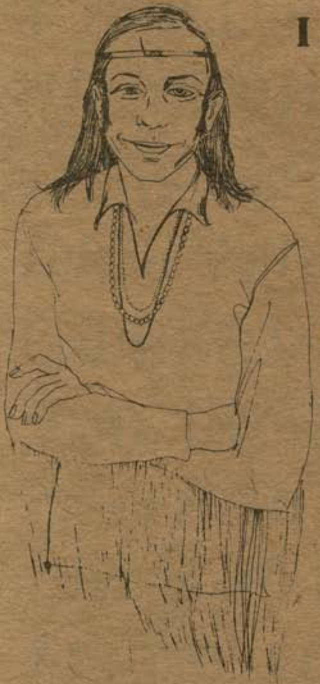


YOU MAY LAND ANYWHERE AND
LOTS OF PEOPLE END UP IN
MENTAL HOSPITALS ✻
THE REASON THEY DO IS:

THEY WENT THROUGH THE DOOR
WITH THEIR EGO ON AND:

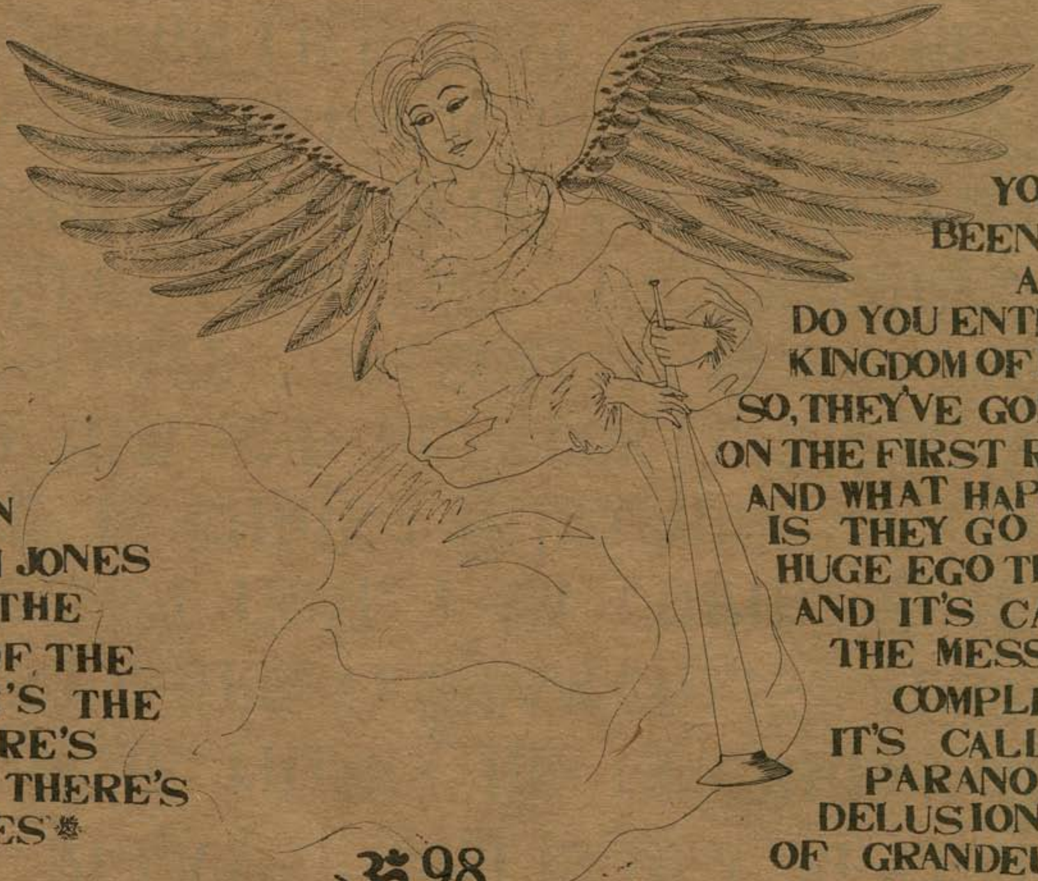
WOW! I'VE BEEN
INVITED TO THE
WEDDING FEAST✻





I MEAN
DIG ME!
SAM JONES!

SAM JONES IN
HEAVEN! SAM JONES
STANDING ON THE
RIGHT SIDE OF THE
LORD✻ THERE'S THE
LORD AND THERE'S
GABRIEL AND THERE'S
SAM JONES✻



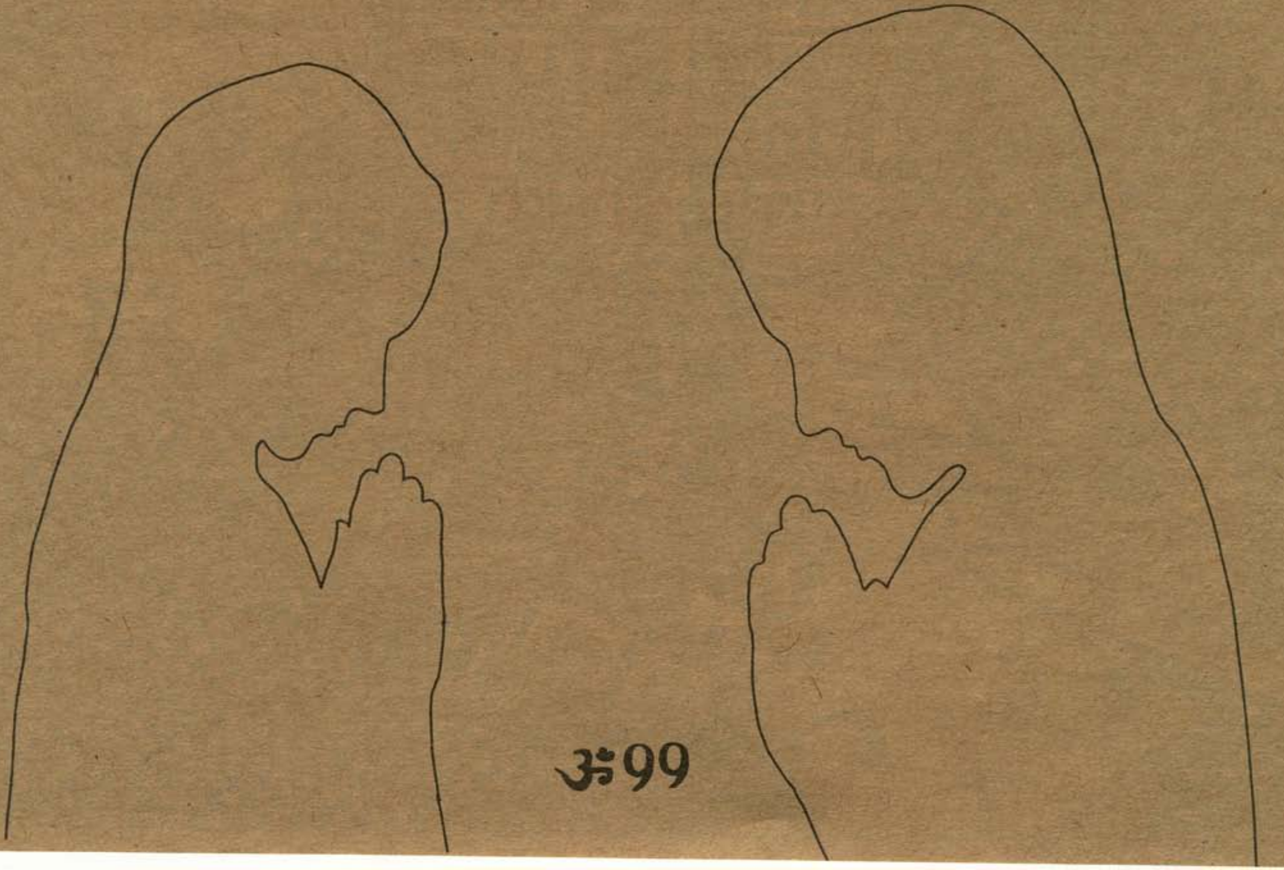
THEY DON T
UNDERSTAND
THAT YOU GOTTA DIE
TO BE BORN✻

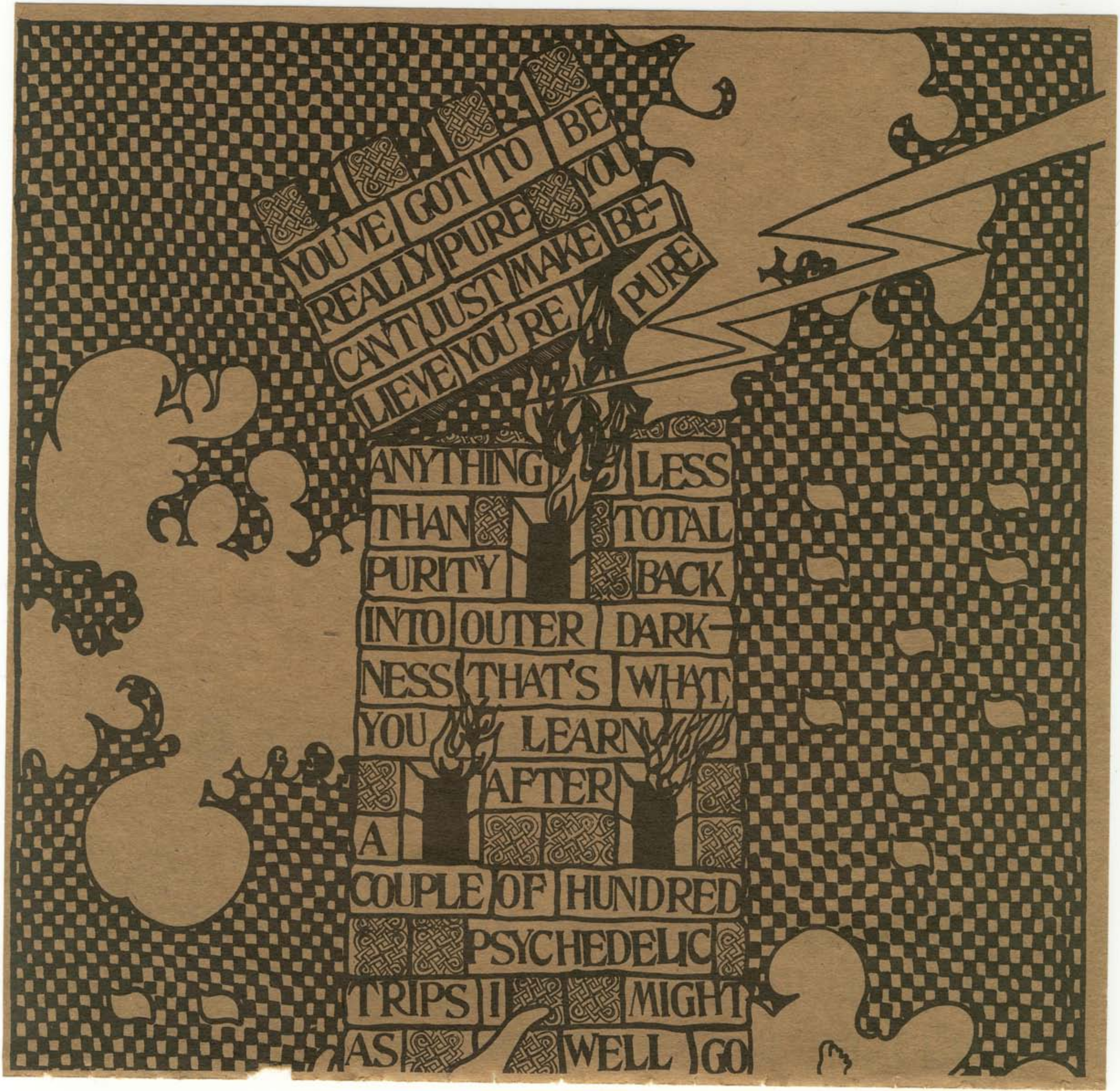
THAT
ONLY
WHEN
YOU HAVE
BEEN BORN
AGAIN
DO YOU ENTER THE
KINGDOM OF HEAVEN
SO, THEY'VE GONE IN
ON THE FIRST ROUND
AND WHAT HAPPENS
IS THEY GO ON A
HUGE EGO TRIP
AND IT'S CALLED:
THE MESSIANIC
COMPLEX✻
IT'S CALLED:
PARANOIA✻
DELUSIONS
OF GRANDEUR✻

I HAVE A RELATIVE WHO IS IN A MENTAL HOSPITAL ◆ HE THINKS HE IS CHRIST ◆ WELL, THAT'S GROOVY ◆ I AM CHRIST ALSO ◆ BUT HE DOESN'T THINK I AM CHRIST ◆ HE THINKS HE IS CHRIST ◆ BECAUSE IT HAPPENED TO HIM AND HE TOOK HIS EGO WITH HIM ◆ SO HE SAYS: I'M SPECIAL ◆ AND WHEN I SAY TO HIM: SURE MAN YOU'RE CHRIST ◆ AND I'M CHRIST TOO ◆ HE SAYS: YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND ◆ AND WHEN HE'S OUT HE STEALS CARS AND THINGS LIKE THAT BECAUSE HE NEEDS THEM BECAUSE HE'S CHRIST AND THAT'S ALL RIGHT ◆ SO THEY LOCK HIM UP ◆ HE SAY'S: I DON'T KNOW... ME... I'M A RESPONSIBLE MEMBER OF SOCIETY ◆ I GO TO CHURCH ◆ ME THEY PUT IN A MENTAL HOSPITAL ◆ YOU'RE FREE ◆ YOU'VE GOT A BEARD ◆ YOU WEAR A DRESS ◆ ◆ ◆ YOU ◆ ◆ ◆

SURE BECAUSE AS FAR AS I'M CONCERNED WE ARE ALL GOD THAT'S THE DIFFERENCE IF YOU REALLY THINK ANOTHER GUY IS GOD HE DOESN'T LOCK YOU UP

FUNNY ABOUT THAT




YOU'VE GOT TO BE
REALLY PURE YOU
CAN'T JUST MAKE BE-
LIEVE YOU'RE PURE
ANYTHING LESS
THAN TOTAL
PURITY BACK
INTO OUTER DARK-
NESS THAT'S WHAT
YOU LEARN
AFTER
A
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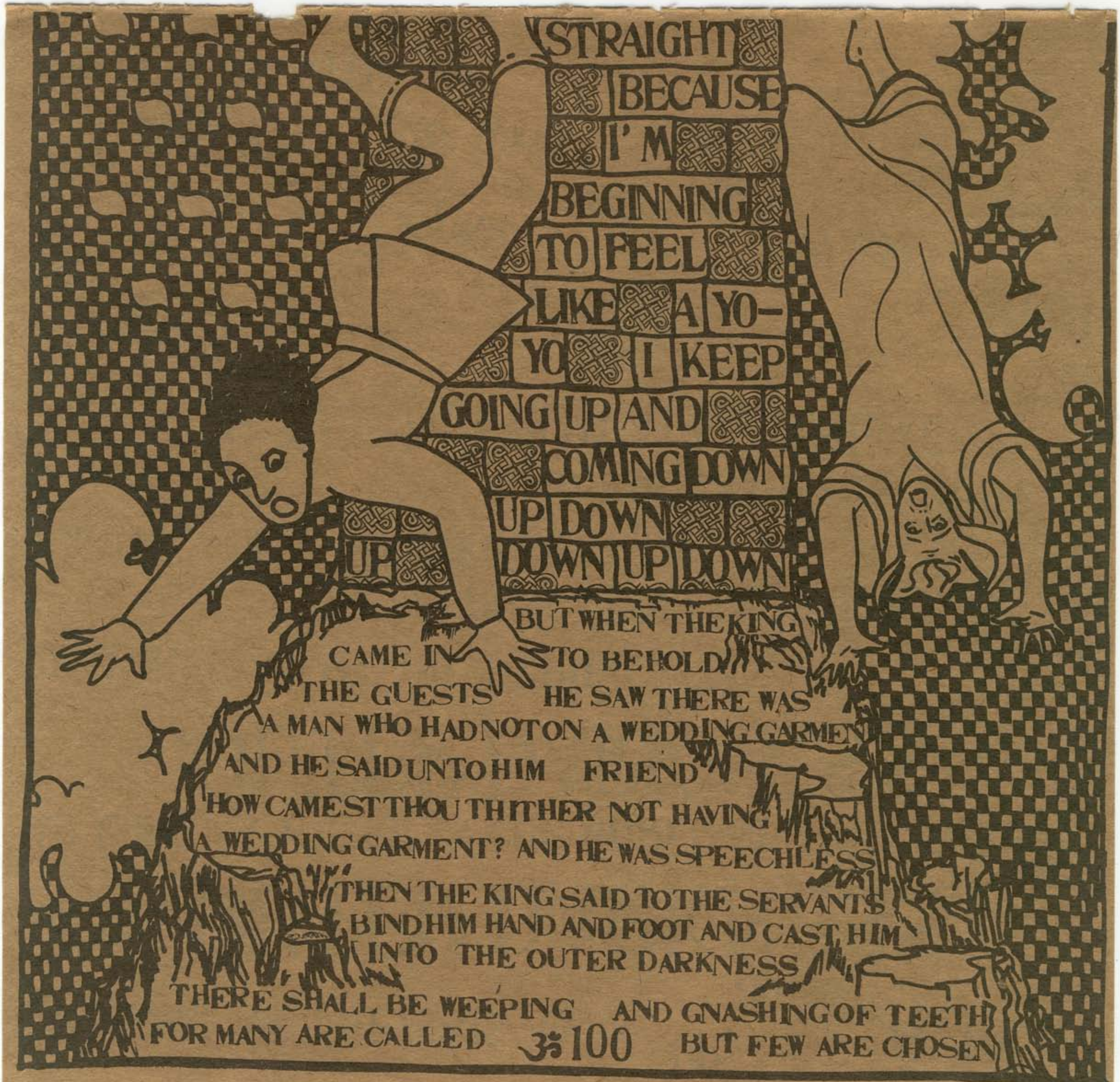
TRIPS I MIGHT
AS WELL GO



STRAIGHT
BECAUSE
I'M
BEGINNING
TO FEEL
LIKE A YO-
YO I KEEP
GOING UP AND
COMING DOWN
UP DOWN
UP DOWN UP DOWN

BUT WHEN THE KING
CAME IN TO BEHOLD
THE GUESTS HE SAW THERE WAS
A MAN WHO HAD NOT ON A WEDDING GARMEN
AND HE SAID UNTO HIM FRIEND
HOW CAMEST THOU THITHER NOT HAVING
A WEDDING GARMENT? AND HE WAS SPEECHLESS
THEN THE KING SAID TO THE SERVANTS
BIND HIM HAND AND FOOT AND CAST HIM
INTO THE OUTER DARKNESS
THERE SHALL BE WEEPING AND GNASHING OF TEETH
FOR MANY ARE CALLED ॐ 100 BUT FEW ARE CHOSEN

AS LONG AS THERE IS AN UP
DOWN IN YOUR
HEAD: **OUTER DARKNESS**

AS LONG AS YOU'RE IN THE WORLD OF YIN YANG ☯
OUTER DARKNESS

IT TAKES A LOT OF PURIFICATION
PURIFICATION OF WHAT?
PURIFICATION OF THOUGHT
PURIFICATION OF BODY
FREEDOM FROM ATTACHMENT

AND AFTER A LONG TIME OF GOING UP AND DOWN WITHOUT UNDERSTANDING WHY I WAS GOING UP AND DOWN
OR HOW TO STOP IT

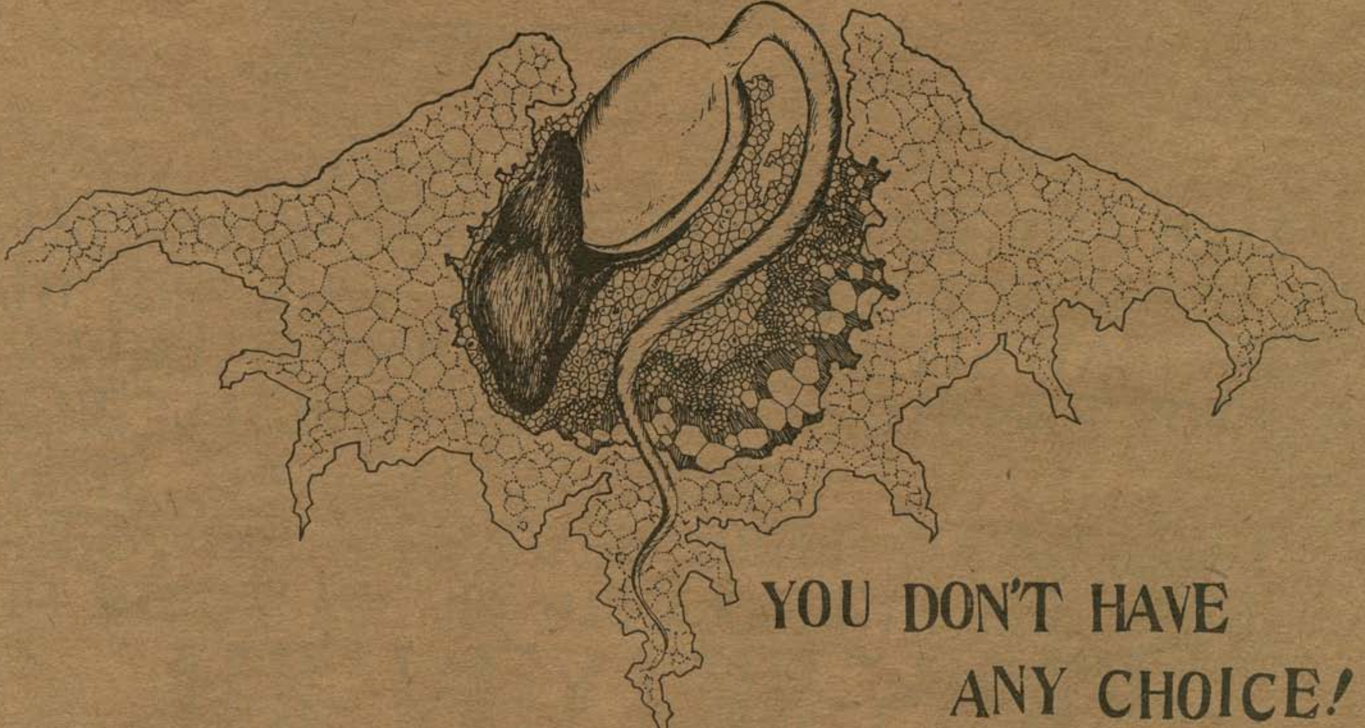
SLOWLY . . . SLOWLY . . . IT DAWNED ON ME

NOW WHY DID I KEEP TRYING?

THE ANSWER IS VERY SIMPLE AND ALMOST ALL OF YOU KNOW THE ANSWER ALREADY

THE ANSWER IS: ONCE THE SEED HAS BEEN PLANTED

ONCE YOU HAVE BEEN BORN AGAIN



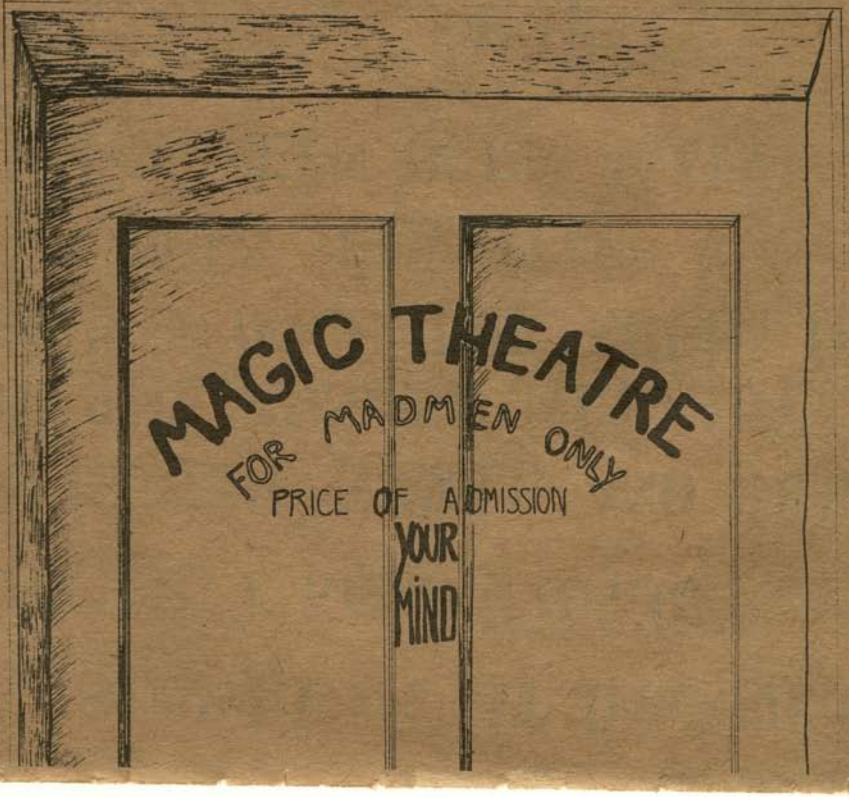
YOU DON'T HAVE
ANY CHOICE!

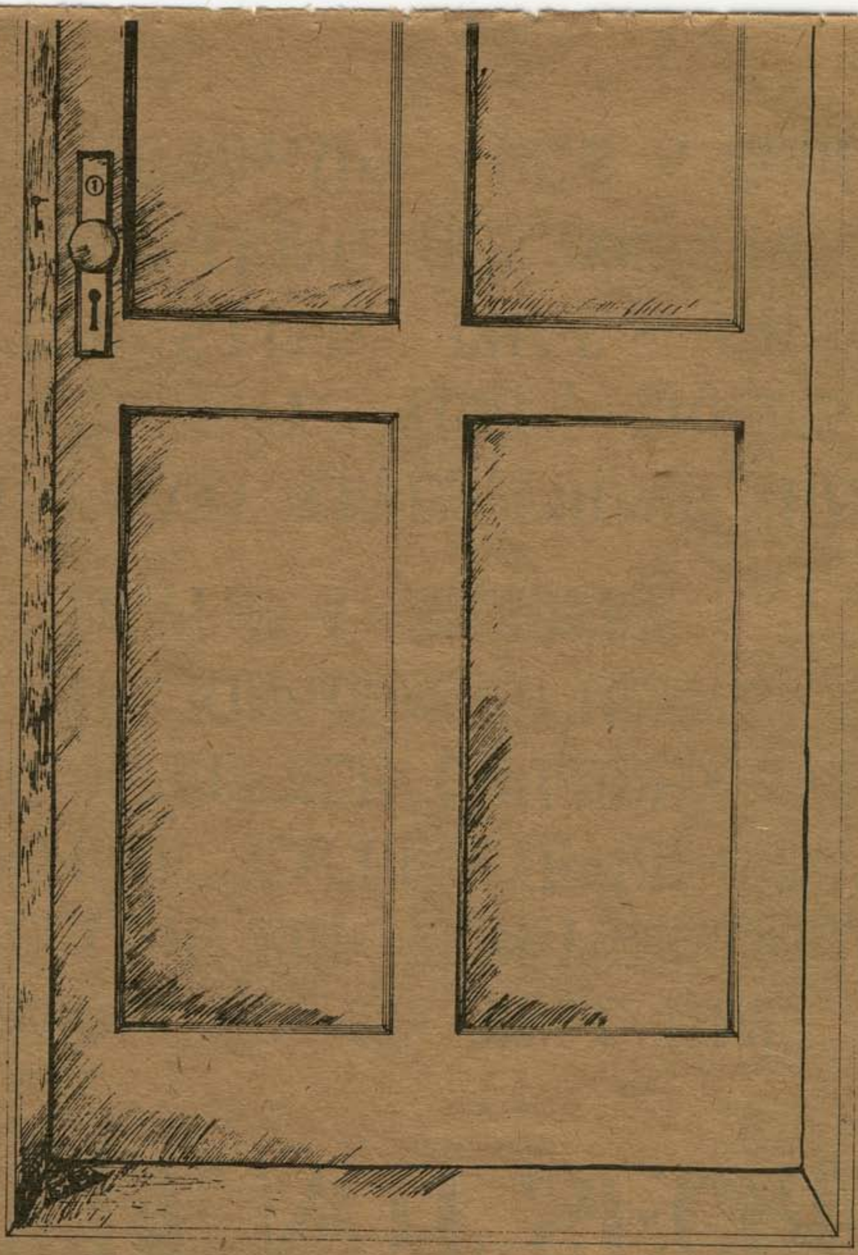
THE NEXT MESSAGE

IS WHERE YOU ARE WHEN YOU HEAR THE NEXT MESSAGE. WHENEVER YOURE READY YOULL HEAR THE NEXT MESSAGE.

THE INTERESTING THING IS THERES ALWAYS A NEXT MESSAGE AND ITS ALWAYS AVAILABLE TO YOU. NOW! THATS A HARD ONE!

THE HANDWRITING IS ALWAYS ON THE WALL SAYING:


MAGIC THEATRE
FOR MADMEN ONLY
PRICE OF ADMISSION
YOUR
MIND



ALWAYS THERE.

QUESTION IS: CAN YOU SEE IT ?

FUNNY THING ABOUT ALL THE SECRETS OF THE EAST OR THE SECRETS OF MYSTICISM...

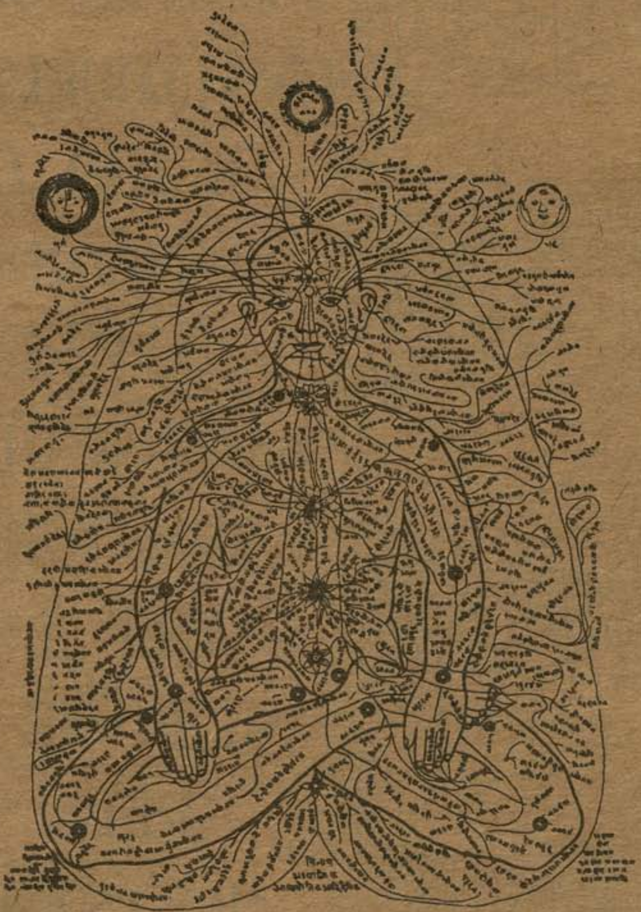
THEY'RE NOT SECRET!

NOBODY'S SAYING "DON'T TELL HIM". THEY'RE TELLING YOU. THEY'RE YELLING IT. THEY'RE SAYING: "EXCEPT YE BE CONVERTED AND BECOME AS LITTLE CHILDREN, YE SHALL NOT ENTER THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN."

THAT'S A SECRET?

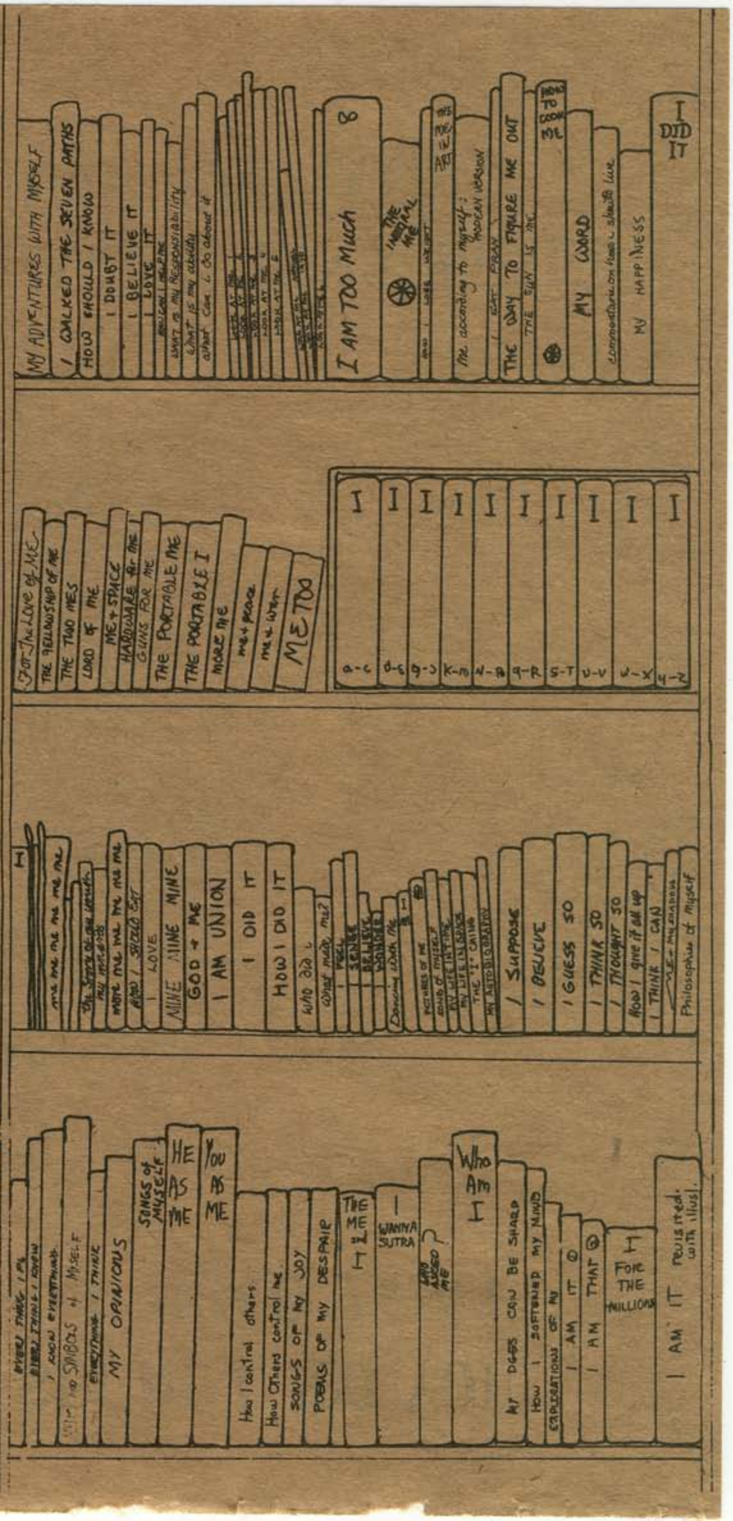
THINK OF HOW MANY TIMES YOU'VE HEARD THAT AND YOU SAY: "YEAH, THAT'S REALLY INTERESTING. THAT'S GREAT. THAT'S THE MINISTER TALKING. HE'S DOING HIS THING. HE'S GOT A LIVING TO EARN. HE'S A GOOD GUY."

THE SECRET IS A SECRET TO YOU
BECAUSE OF WHERE YOUR HEAD IS AT.

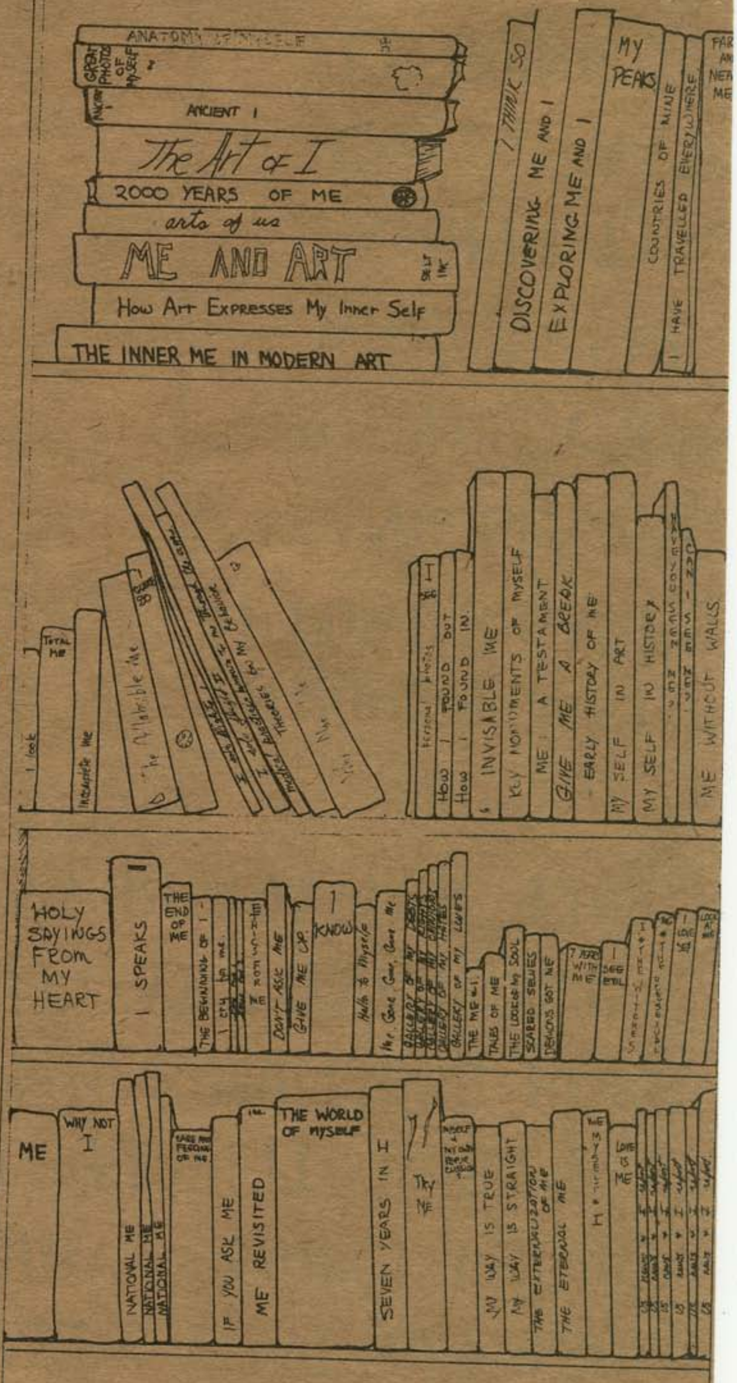


YOUR RECEIVING MECHANISM ISN'T TUNED
FOR THAT PARTICULAR FREQUENCY

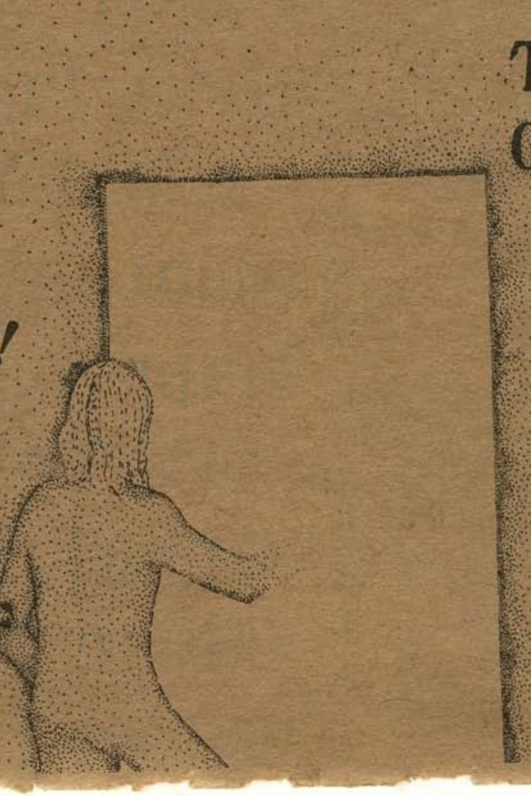
IN MY CASE I KEPT READING THE BOOKS BUT I DIDN'T UNDERSTAND THEM. THEY WERE YELLING THE SECRETS BUT I COULDN T HEAR THEM BECAUSE I WAS LOOKING AT THEM FROM THE WRONG ! PLACE ! THAT WAS MY PROBLEM AND I COULDN T GET MY HEAD INTO THE RIGHT PLACE I STILL WANTED TO KNOW I KNEW. SEE? I WAS STILL WESTERN RATIONAL MAN


MY ADVENTURES WITH MYSELF
I WALKED THE SEVEN PATHS
HOW SHOULD I KNOW
I DOUBT IT
I BELIEVE IT
I LOVE IT
what is my Responsibility
What is my ability
what can I do about it
I AM TOO Much
THE INTEGRAL ME
THE ME IN ART
Me according to myself: MODERN VERSION
I EAT PRAY
THE WAY TO FIGURE ME OUT
THE SUN IS ME
HOW TO COOK ME
MY WORD
MY HAPPINESS
I DID IT
For The Love of ME
THE FELLOWSHIP OF ME
THE TWO MES
LORD OF ME
ME + SPACE
HARDWARE for ME
GUNS FOR ME
THE PORTABLE ME
THE PORTABLE I
MORE ME
ME + PEACE
ME + WAR
ME TOO
I
a-c
d-f
g-j
k-m
n-p
q-r
s-t
u-v
w-x
y-z
I
me me me me me me me
more me me me me me
I LOVE
MINE MINE MINE MINE
GOD + ME
I AM UNION
I DID IT
HOW I DID IT
Who did it
What made me?
SENSE
BELIEVE
WONDER
Dancing with Me
I
THE "I" CHING
MY AUTOBIOGRAPHY
I SUPPOSE
I BELIEVE
I GUESS SO
I THINK SO
I THOUGHT SO
How I give it all up
I THINK I CAN
Philosophies of myself
EVERYTHING I AM
EVERYTHING I KNOW
I KNOW EVERYTHING
SYMBOLS of MYSELF
EVERYTHING I THINK
MY OPINIONS
SONGS of MYSELF
HE AS ME
YOU AS ME
How I control others
How Others control me
SONGS OF MY JOY
POEMS OF MY DESPAIR
THE ME I
I WANNA SUTRA
Who Am I
MY DOGS CAN BE SHARP
HOW I SOFTENED MY MIND
EXPLORATIONS OF MY
I AM IT
I AM THAT
I FOR THE MILLIONS
I AM IT revisited. with illus.

SO I WENT AND I LOOKED
AND LOOKED AND LOOKED
AND AS LONG AS I LOOKED
LIKE A RATIONAL MAN
LOOKING I DIDNT FIND
ANYTHING. I JUST FOUND
MY OWN SHADOW
ALL THE TIME THATS
ALL YOU EVER FIND:
YOURSELF
YOU ONLY READ TO YOURSELF
YOU ONLY TALK TO YOURSELF
YOU ONLY EVER KNOW YOURSELF
THATS ALL THERE IS!
STRANGELY
ENOUGH !


ANATOMY OF MYSELF
GREAT PHOTOS OF MYSELF
ANCIENT I
The Art of I
2000 YEARS OF ME
arts of us
ME AND ART
SELF INC
How Art Expresses My Inner Self
THE INNER ME IN MODERN ART
I THINK SO
DISCOVERING ME AND I
EXPLORING ME AND I
My PEAKS
COUNTRIES OF MINE
I HAVE TRAVELLED EVERYWHERE
I look
TOTAL ME
Incomplete me
The Infallible me
I am I
How I FOUND OUT
How I FOUND IN.
INVISABLE ME
KEY MOMENTS OF MYSELF
ME: A TESTAMENT
GIVE ME A BREAK
EARLY HISTORY OF ME
MY SELF IN ART
MY SELF IN HISTORY
ME WITHOUT WALLS
HOLY SAYINGS FROM MY HEART
I SPEAKS
THE END OF ME
THE BEGINNING OF I
I cry to me
DON'T ASK ME
GIVE ME UP
I KNOW
Hello to Myself
Me, Gone, Gone, Gone Me
GALLERY OF MY LOVERS
THE ME I
TALES OF ME
THE LOOKING SOUL
SCARED SELVES
DEMONS GOT ME
7 YEARS WITH ME
I SEE EVIL
I LOVE
LOOK AT ME
ME
WHY NOT I
NATIONAL ME
NATIONAL ME
NATIONAL ME
IF YOU ASK ME
ME REVISITED
THE WORLD OF MYSELF
SEVEN YEARS IN I
TRY ME
MY WAY IS TRUE
MY WAY IS STRAIGHT
THE EXTERNALIZATION OF ME
THE ETERNAL ME
LOVE IS ME

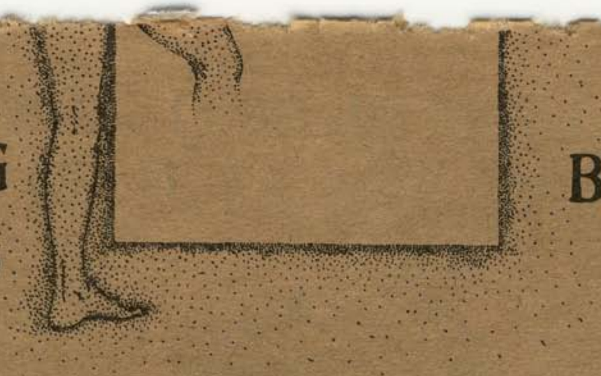
I SAW THAT MY WHOLE GAME DIDN'T WORK. IT GAVE ME ALL THE REWARDS THAT SEEMED TO BE OFFERED BUT IT DIDN'T WORK. THERE WAS A PLACE IN ME THAT KNEW IT WASN'T WORKING. I KNEW THERE WAS SOMETHING ELSE BUT I COULDN'T GET TO IT. AT THAT POINT I GAVE UP. AND THEN I WAS READY FOR THE NEXT MESSAGE



WHEN I WENT THROUGH THE DOORWAY I THOUGHT: WOW! IT ISN'T LIKE I THOUGHT AT ALL. I MEAN: IF I AM GOING TO

THROUGH A SET OF POWER GAMES AND SENSUAL GRATIFICATIONS WHAT'S THE PAYOFF? THE END IS THAT IT'S GOING TO

SPEND MY LIFE
MANIPULATING
THIS PUNY EGO



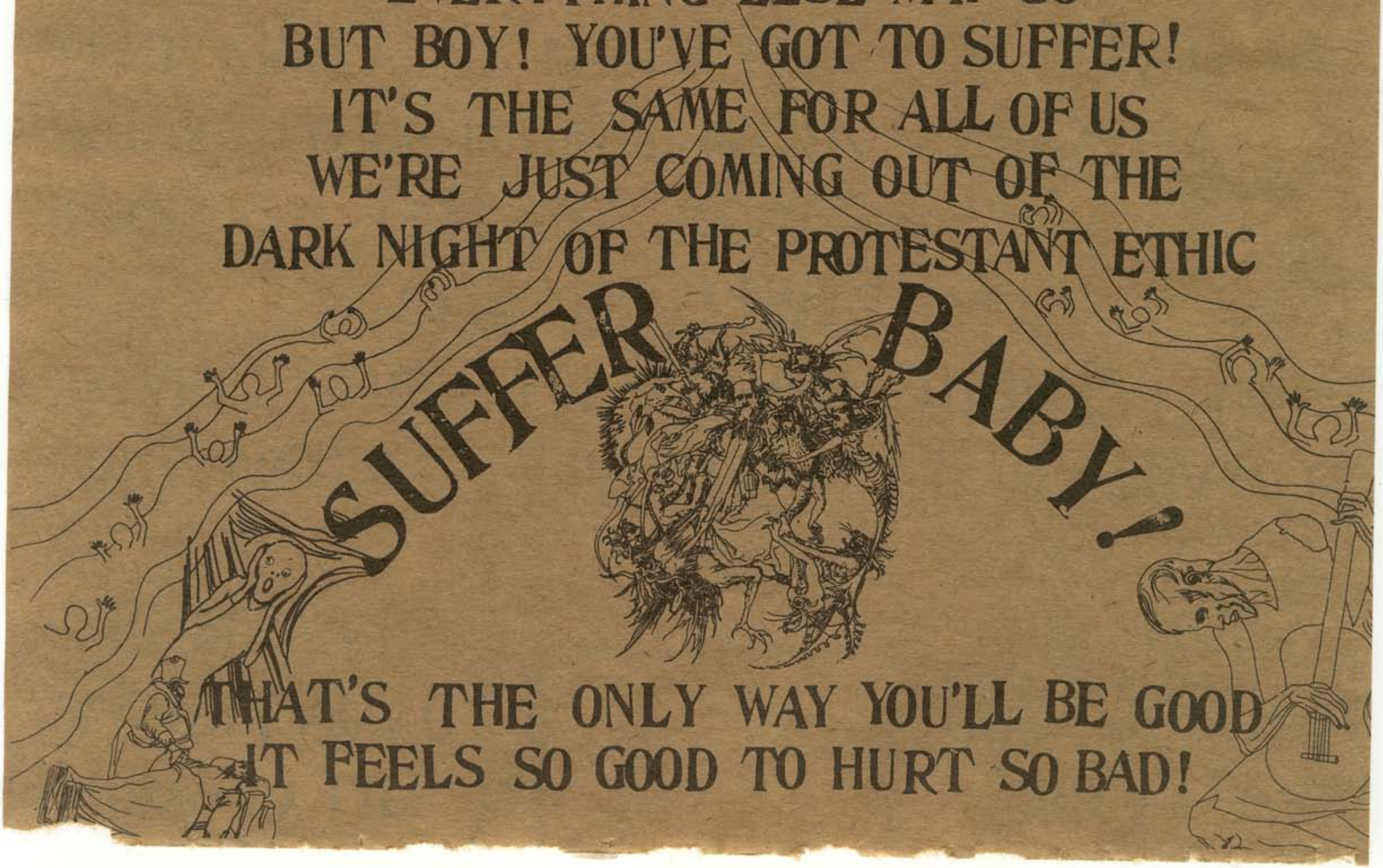
END ANYWAY
BECAUSE IT'S ALL
IN TIME

AND SUDDENLY I DIG WHO I AM AT THAT
MOMENT WHEN I M STONED! HIGH! I AM
OUT OF TIME!
I AM OUT OF SPACE!
BUT BOY! DOES IT FEEL VALID! DOES IT
FEEL REAL! IT FEELS LIKE THE FIRST
REAL THING THAT'S EVER HAPPENED TO ME!
EVERYTHING ELSE HAD A CERTAIN HUSTLE
LIKE QUALITY TO IT

EXCEPT MY SUFFERING

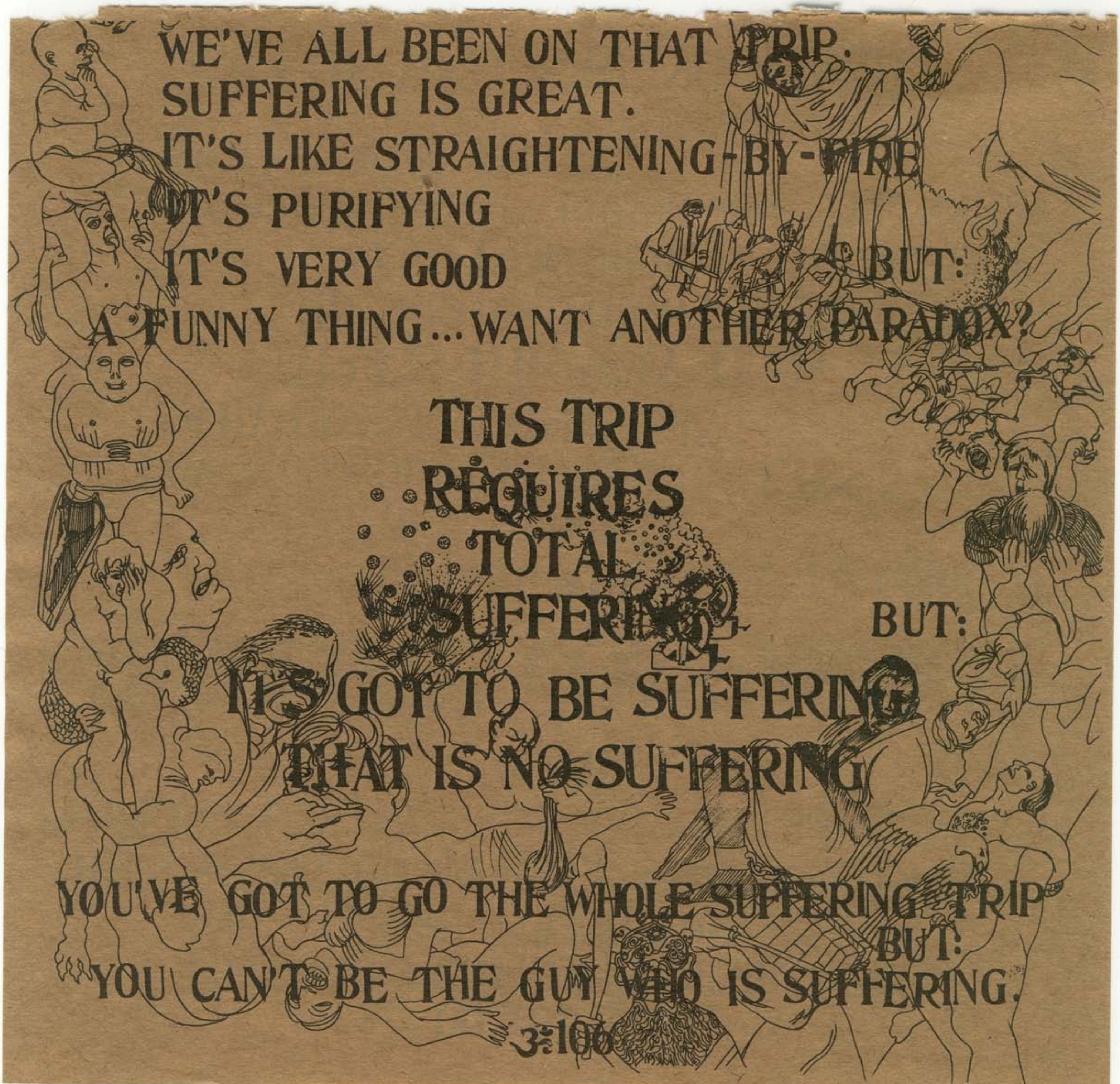
AM I HE?

I WAS REALLY INTO MY SUFFERING
YOU CAN REALLY GET INTO YOUR SUFFERING
SELF-PITY...THAT'S REAL!
EVERYTHING ELSE MAY GO
BUT BOY! YOU'VE GOT TO SUFFER!
IT'S THE SAME FOR ALL OF US
WE'RE JUST COMING OUT OF THE
DARK NIGHT OF THE PROTESTANT ETHIC



SUFFER BABY!

THAT'S THE ONLY WAY YOU'LL BE GOOD
IT FEELS SO GOOD TO HURT SO BAD!

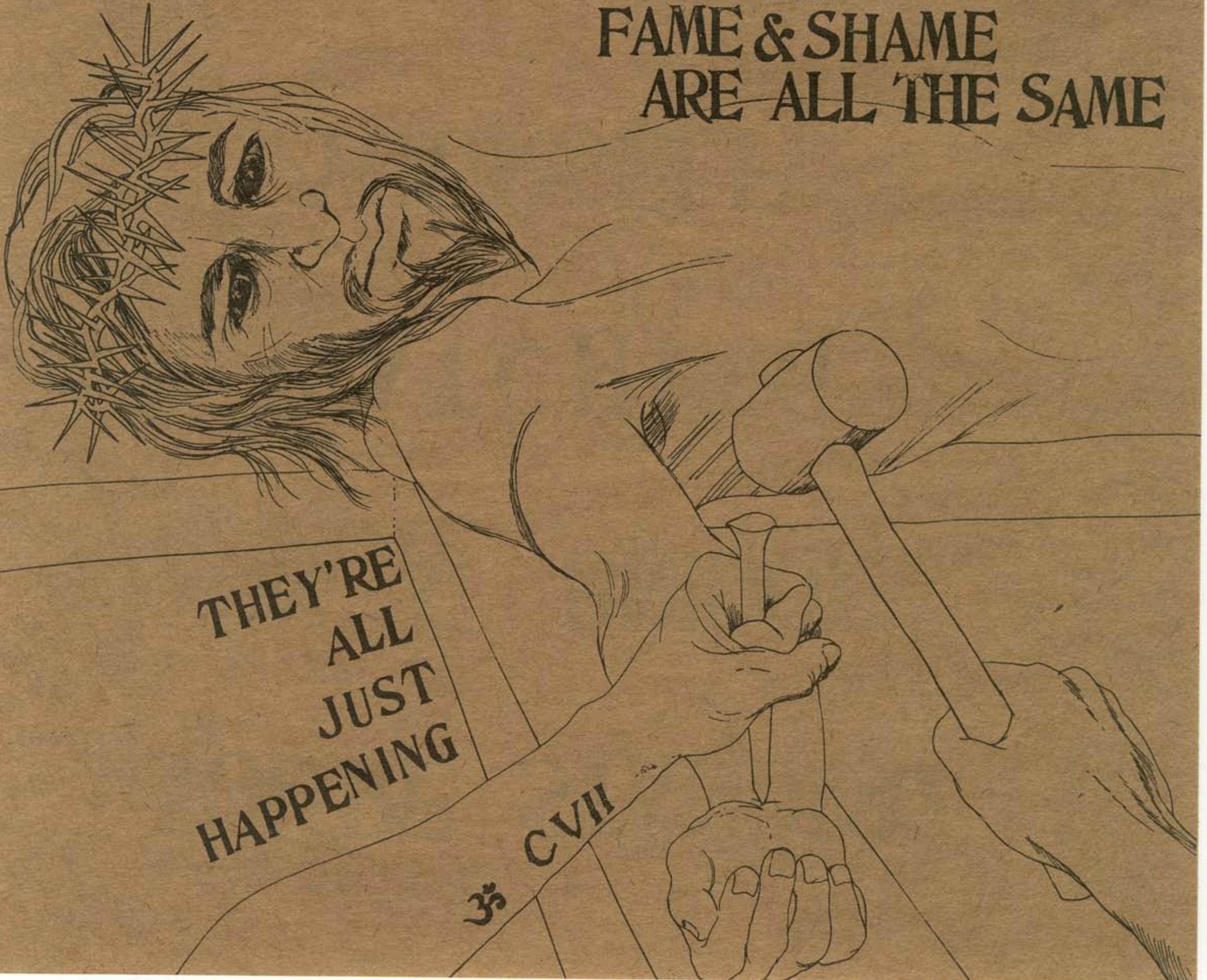


WE'VE ALL BEEN ON THAT TRIP.
SUFFERING IS GREAT.
IT'S LIKE STRAIGHTENING-BY-FIRE
IT'S PURIFYING
IT'S VERY GOOD BUT:
A FUNNY THING... WANT ANOTHER PARADOX?

THIS TRIP
REQUIRES
TOTAL
SUFFERING BUT:
IT'S GOT TO BE SUFFERING
THAT IS NO SUFFERING

YOU'VE GOT TO GO THE WHOLE SUFFERING TRIP
BUT:
YOU CAN'T BE THE GUY WHO IS SUFFERING.

NO! THAT'S THE THING. ONCE YOU KNOW THAT
THEN: PLEASURE & PAIN
LOSS & GAIN
FAME & SHAME
ARE ALL THE SAME



THEY'RE
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YOU'RE STANDING

ON A BRIDGE

WATCHING

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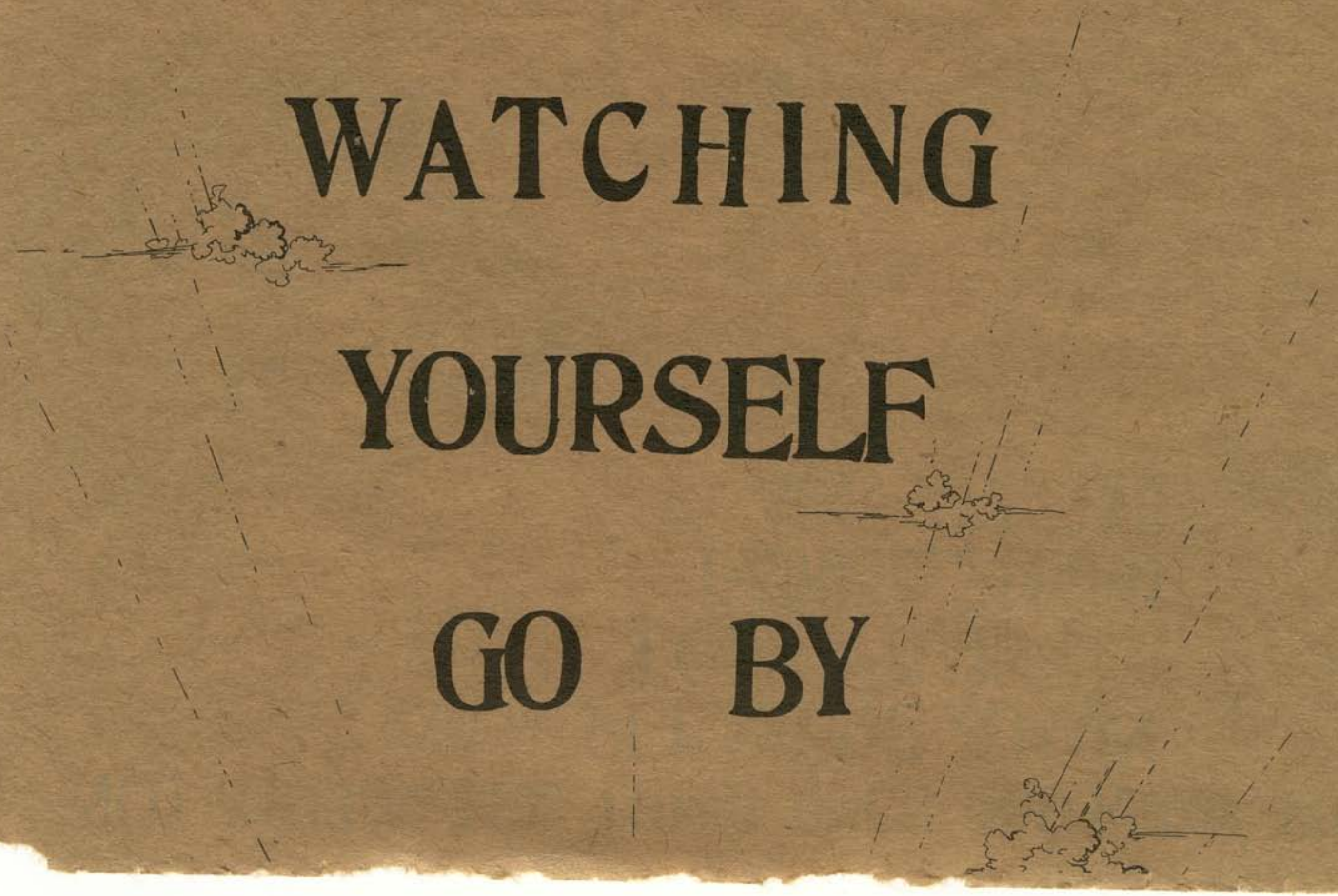
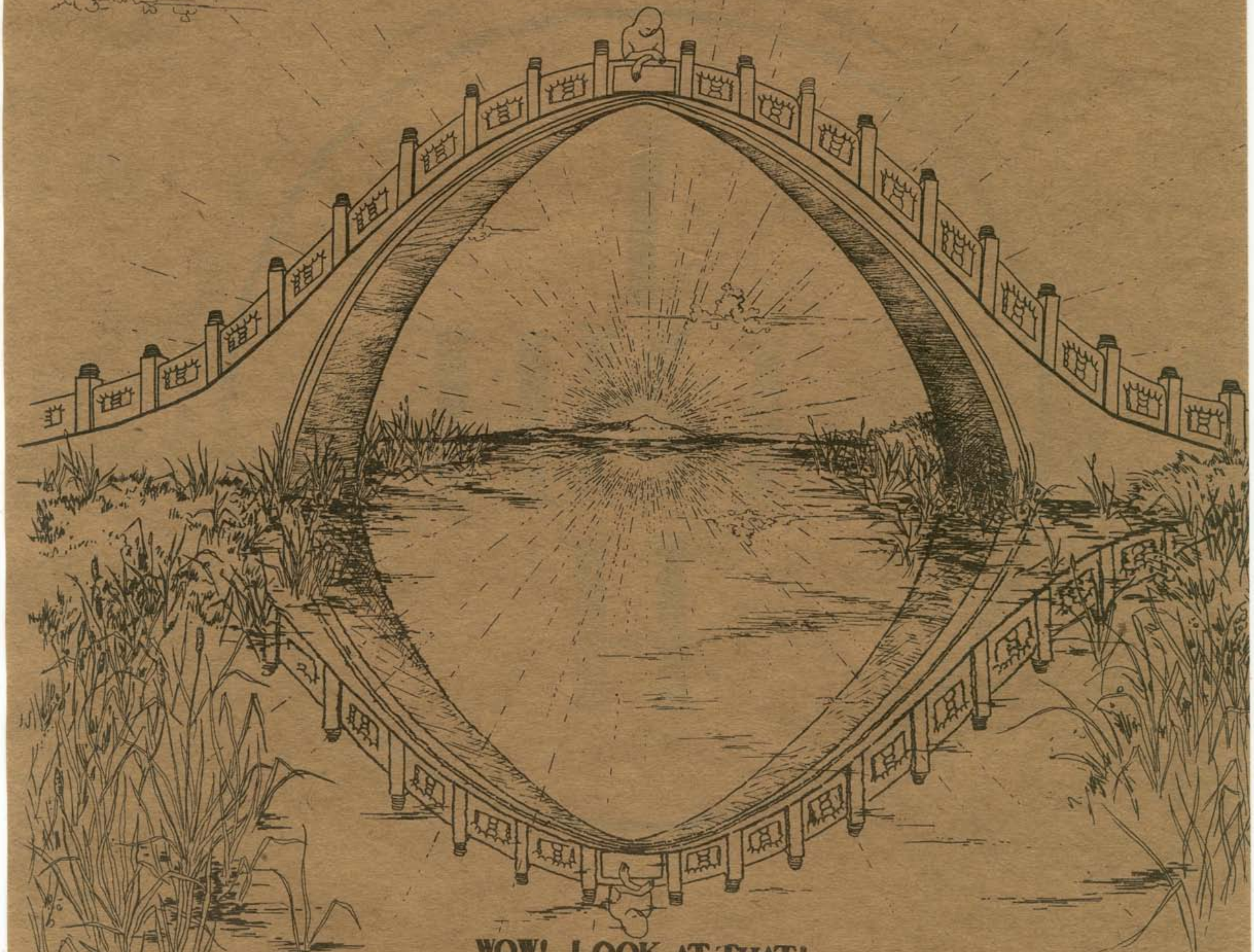
GO BY





WOW! LOOK AT THAT!

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